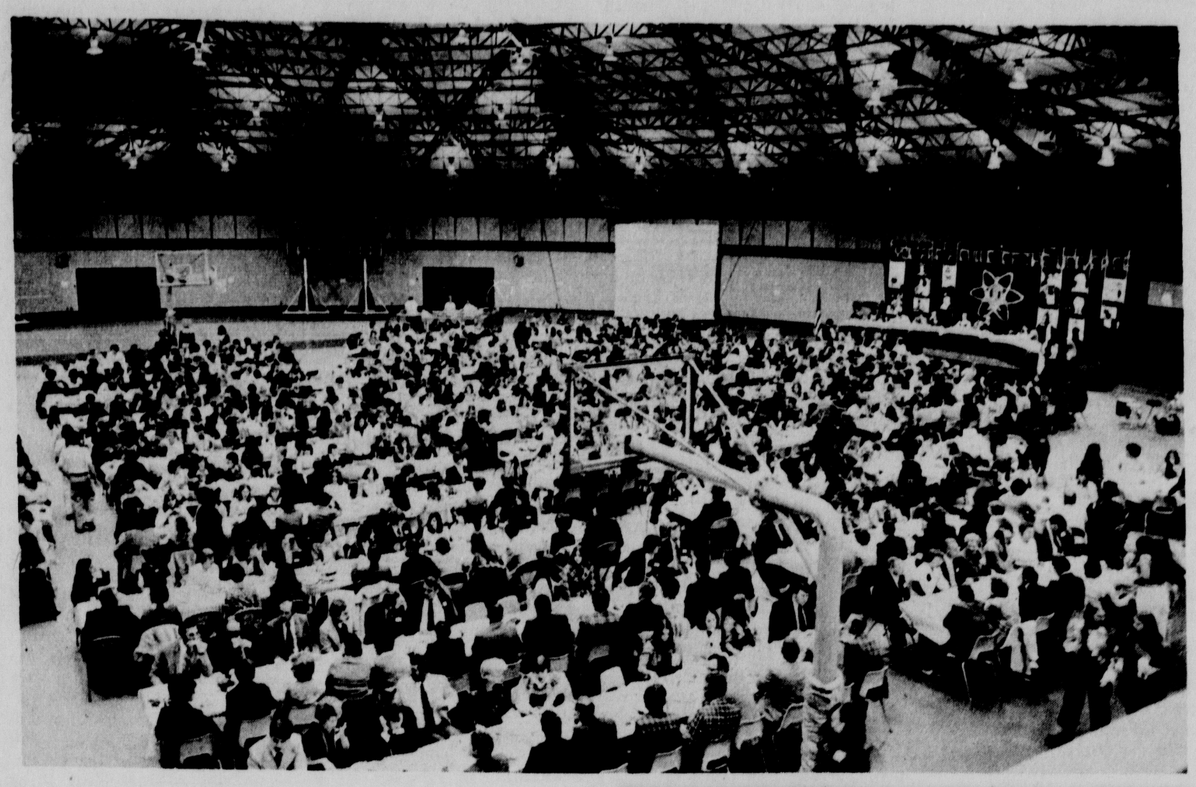
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Students hear wife of former governor

Over 1,000 students and adults (top photo) attended the banquet for the Missouri Association of Student Council Friday night at the high school field house. Mrs. Betty Hearnes (right photo), wife of former Governor Warren Hearnes, was guest speaker. She offered some observations on her past political life and told the students they should be interested in good citizenship.

– (Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)



Farmers promised all the fuel they need

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton talked Friday about setting up a hot line for the Missouri farmer who runs out of fuel for his machinery but was assured it already has what amounts to one.

The state director of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the executive assistant to Missouri's commissioner of agriculture, a man from the regional Federal Energy Office and spokesmen for two big farm organizations explained how the system has been set up.

"I'm pleased that we have something which promises to see that the farmer has the fuel he needs," Eagleton said after a round-table discussion which went on almost two hours.

Federal law provides that farmers shall get all the fuel they need for production.

Eagleton read from a note an assurance from James Newman, regional director of the Federal Energy Office, that meeting this demand would not cut into the amount of fuel available to other Missourians; but there was much head-shaking about the point.

From all sides came the plea that the most important thing for the farmer to do is advise his gasoline or diesel man how much fuel he will need month by month to plant, cultivate and harvest his crops and take care of his livestock this year.

Victor M. Gray, director of legislative affairs for the Missouri Farm Bureau, reported he had been at a meeting where fewer than half the farmers had done this.

Local distributors send the figures up the supply line to wholesalers, jobbers, refiners and producing companies. Missouri's Fuel Allocation Board and the Federal Energy Office are responsible for seeing that the producers and refiners get the gasoline and diesel fuel back down the line to the distributors.

Gene Cunningham, state ASCS director, reported people from its county offices all over the state will be in Columbia on Monday to study the system and learn how to help a farmer who runs out of fuel. The ASCS will be the first to turn to when they can't find a dealer who has it.

John Sanders, executive assistant to the state commissioner of agriculture, reported his department is having regional meetings around the state on March 25 and 27 at which farmers will be advised on how to report their fuel needs and get more if needed.

James Kirk, representing Newman, said the Federal Energy Office is going to have a mobile task force combing the state at harvest time to spot critical needs and require oil companies to meet them.

Missouri farmers are putting an additional 500,000 acres into crops this year. Sanders pointed out they do not have to justify requests for the necessary fuel unless they are going to use more than 20,000 gallons of gasoline or 20,000 gallons of diesel — enough for a big farming operation.

"We have asked them not to be greedy," Gray said. "We have suggested that they not ask for gasoline for production and then use it to take a vacation."

Eagleton opened the discussion by saying he and other Missouri members of Congress were besieged from spring through fall last year by farmers who complained they couldn't get fuel despite their 100 per cent priority.

The senator had a dozen such calls last week from southeast Missouri. Some of those in the conference said this probably was because farmers who were getting off to a fast start and hadn't ordered fuel soon enough.

Harvey Strothman and James Cunningham of the Missouri Farmers Association joined Gray in an estimate that farmers have more fuel stored on their places right now than ever before.

"Farmers are good managers, and they learned from last year," said Strothman. "A lot of them are calling their deliveryman when their tanks get down to half full."

School district receives grant

CHARLESTON-- The R-1 school district has received final approval for funding of a $3,920 grant under the Elementary Secondary Education Act Title II Program to be used for the purchase of library books and materials, according superintendent Charles Rorex.

The board of education voted Thursday night to participate in the National Defense Education Act Title III Program for this year.

An open house for discussion on the proposed 30- cent tax levy increase was set by the board for 7:30 p.m. March 26 in the high school commons. The board is asking voters to approve the 30- cent tax increase, which raises the present $3.60 levy to $3.90 per $100 assessed valuation, to offset deficient spending. One of the basic reasons for the increase is the need to increase teacher salaries.

Two board members are to be elected April 2. April 3 was set as special meeting date to canvas the elections results.

Deadline for accepting bids on flooring for the Hearnes Elementary School's multipurpose room was extended to April 2, the next regular board meeting. Only one bid was submitted prior to Thursday's meeting.

The board accepted the resignation of Timothy Lyles as a high school social studies teacher to be effective at the close of the school year.

Mike Back, administrative assistant, gave a report from the curriculum committee on possible curriculum provisions. The committee is to meet Monday and the

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Houchin seeks council seat

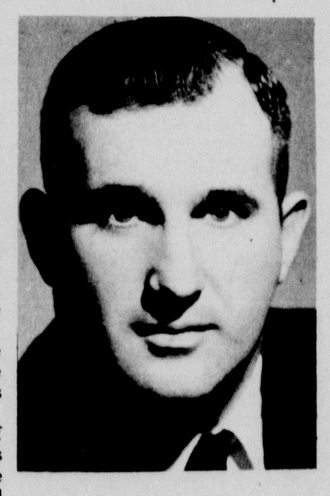
John Houchin today announces his candidacy for one of two seats on the Sikeston City Council to be filled in the April 2 city election.

Houchin has been a resident of Sikeston for more than 20 years and is the owner of Houchin's Do-Nut Shop. He is also engaged in the real estate business.

Houchin is an active member of the Wesley United Methodist Church where he serves on the church board.

He is married and the father of two children. The family home is at 1019 Davis Blvd.

Houchin says that if elected, he will devote his time to the progress of the city of Sikeston and spend the necessary time that it takes to look after the affairs of the office.



John Houchin

It's inside. . .

High feed costs are holding back hog production, say Agriculture economists. For farm news turn to...pages 6 and 7.

Widow asks where friends were when husband was alive. For society news turn to...page 4.

A suit has been filed in Charleston Circuit Court to overturn school policies. Turn to...page 3.

. . . and outside

Partly sunny today. Cool with high in the 40s. Clear to partly cloudy and cold tonight with low in the 20s. Sunday considerable sunshine with high in the 50s.

The high Friday was 55.

Sunset today ..... 7:06 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow...7:07 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow3:24 a.m.
New Moon.....March 23
The planet Mercury now rises in the morning twilight and is soon followed by brighter Jupiter. In another week, Jupiter will be rising before Mercury.

Butler is arraigned; posts bond

NEW MADRID — Dwight Butler, 30, of Malden, one of several Dunklin County men suspected in a burglary ring extending from New Madrid, Stoddard and Dunklin counties in Southeast Missouri into Tennessee and adjoining states, was arraigned in New Madrid County Magistrate Court Friday on a charge of possession of stolen property.

He is accused of having possession of 18 bushels of soybeans on March 2 which he allegedly knew had been stolen.

Butler was placed under $1,000 bond after requesting a preliminary hearing, which will be set at a later date.

Butler also faces charges in Stoddard County in connection with a Feb. 22 burglary at Shipman's Rebel Market in Bloomfield where a quantity of meats and merchandise valued at $2,000 were stolen.

Other cases resulting in fines:

Donald Clark, charged with petit larceny by theft of a battery on March 10 which was valued at $40 and belonged to Freeman Dill was fined $40, given 30 days in jail and put on 30 days probation.

Silas Evans drew a 60 - day jail sentence and a $45 fine on a charge of careless and imprudent driving no operator's license and improper registration. Denton Mills Inc. was levied a $25 fine on a charge of operating a vehicle without a copy of Missouri special fuel user's permit in truck.

Fines of $20 each were assessed against Johnny Leon Reams and Reta Joanne Grossman, charged with not having an operator's license.

Fined on speeding charges were James Henry Bartholomew, $28, and David Michael Saalwaechter, $20. Bill Daley Rohrer forfeited a $100 bond on a speeding charge.

Ozburn- Abston and Co. was awarded $208.19 judgment in a civil suit

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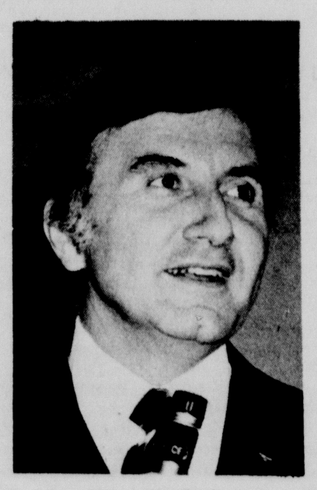
Haggai to speak at BPW banquet

Dr. Tom Haggai of High Point, N. C., a syndicated radio evangelist, will be the featured speaker March 27 at Sikeston's Woman of the Year banquet, sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, at 7 p.m. at the Country Club.

In addition to his heavy nationwide schedule of speaking engagements, Dr. Haggai is heard daily from coast to coast on the syndicated radio program, "Values for Better Living".

He was born in Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1931 of Syrain- English heritage. He preached his first sermon at the age of 12, then lettered in athletics at North Greenville Junior College and won the McMillan Medal for oratory at Furman University in Greenville, S. C.

Mrs. Gene Holland is chairman of the Woman of the Year banquet for the Business and Professional Women's Club. This is the 15th year the club has sponsored a woman of the year program for Sikeston.



Tom Haggai

Tickets for the banquet may be purchased from Mrs. Mary Ellison.

Thieves enter Advance firms

ADVANCE-- Two break-ins which occured sometime Thursday night are under investigation by the Stoddard County Sheriff's department.

Sheriff Ralph Mouser said Friday that a rear window of the Southeast Co- op located near Advance was broken allowing entry to the building. Mouser said nothing was taken, but the premises were ransacked and he thinks the thieves were searching for money.

In another break- in at the Rhodes service station in Advance thieves took approximately $5 in change. A rear window was broken to gain entry. Both break- ins were reported early Friday.

Firemen make 2 Friday runs

Firemen made two runs Friday.

The first call was received at 6:33 p.m. to the Mary Romines residence, 835 Matthews, when an electrical wire shorted out.

Firemen said there was no fire.

The second call came at 8:32 p.m. when a plastic toy caught fire in the furnace of Marvin Hill's home, 812 Mary St.

No damage was done to the home.

City electric use high, cost low

Sikeston homes used an average of $168 worth of electricity in 1973, according to figures released today by the Sikeston light and water office.

The average house used 9,129 kilowatt hours of electricity during the year.

The power cost the average home owner 1.84 cents per kilowatt hour, compared to a national average of 2.36 cents.

The national average use was 8,170 kilowatt hours at a cost of $193.00 per home.

Grand jury to probe Morris campaign funds

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Subpoenas issued by the government indicate a federal grand jury is going to delve next week into how William S. Morris financed his unsuccessful campaign for governor of Missouri two years ago.

Also bidden to appear before the grand jury next Tuesday or Wednesday besides the former lieutenant governor was Delton Houtchens, former Democratic state chairman.

A subpoena issued to Pat O'Neill, a Kansas City public relations man, directed him to bring all the records he has about a "Bill Morris Appreciation Dinner," and a bank account under that name.

Morris is a Kansas City lawyer and served as lieutenant governor in the second term of Gov. Warren E. Hearnes before running in 1972. He was beaten in the Democratic primary by Edward Dowd of St. Louis. Dowd was defeated by Republican Christopher Bond.

Houtchens is a lawyer at Clinton, Mo., and a longtime political ally of Hearnes.

The grand jury already has heard testimony about a relationship between Clinton Enterprises Inc., a public relations agency operated by Houtchens, and an Indiana firm which won a contract in 1972 to make plasticized drivers licenses for the state.

Houtchens and Keith E. Kreissler, a certified public accountant at Clinton, were directed to bring all their records on Clinton Enterprises Inc., including a list of stockholders and the sources and amounts of its income.

Subpoenas also were issued for George W. Burruss and Howard J. Turnbull of Jefferson City, both former employes in the driver's license division of the state Department of Revenue.

The account for the Bill Morris Appreciation Dinner was at the Civic Plaza National Bank in Kansas City, and some more of that bank's records were demanded in another set of subpoenas.

They involve the Regular Democrats, a factional organization which operated in Kansas City in 1970 and 1971.

Harold E. Hall, a construction company executive; Norman Sanders, a Kansas City lawyer, and several officers of the bank were directed to produce records on a $30,525 loan made in 1970 to the Regular Democrats and how it was paid off.

The note was signed on behalf of the Regular Democrats by Lawrence F. Gepford, a former Jackson County prosecuting attorney who now is in private practice in Kansas City.

Paul Anthony White, the assistant U.S. district attorney who issued the subpoenas, declined to discuss them.

Sumpter arraigned on murder charge

IRONTON, Mo. (AP) — David Lee Sumpter, 23, was arraigned on a first degree murder charge Friday in the shooting death of a fellow townsman from Sullivan, Mo.

Sumpter was held in the county jail in lieu of $25,000 bond, and his preliminary hearing was set for March 25.

Sumpter is accused of killing James Lewis Roberts Thursday as they cruised through the country near Ironton in a pickup truck.

The sheriff's office quoted Sumpter as saying Roberts threatened to shoot him; that Sumpter first thought it was a joke, but later grabbed the pistol which Roberts had been handling and shot him.

Sumpter was arrested several hours later at a roadblock near Jewett, east of Ironton and in the adjoining southeast Missouri county. Officers said in his flight Sumpter briefly abducted one teen-age girl after colliding with her family's car and tried to abduct another. The first girl was cut and scratched when she jumped from the moving truck.

Man charged with tampering

CHARLESTON-- A charge of tampering with a motor vehicle was filed Friday afternoon against Lee Childress, 51, of Diehlstadt, who was arrested Thursday afternoon.

Childress allegedly drove off in a 1973 pickup truck, owned by H. L. (Guss) Heckman of Charleston. The truck was parked in front of the Budweiser Cafe on West Commercial St. about 4:30 p.m. Thursday.

The truck was recovered about an hour later near Snow's Corner on highway 60. Reportedly Childress was intoxicated and was still in the truck when it was found.

Childress remains in the Mississippi County jail in lieu of $1,500 bond.



Driver seriously hurt

Virgil Andrew Stock, 24, of East Prairie received serious injuries at 3:30 p.m. Friday after he failed to stop at a stop sign and struck a dirt embankment on Highway 62, one- half mile east of Miner. (Daily Standard photos by Ron Porter)

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Saturday, March 16 — 1874, Miners strike in Pennsylvania. Demand to be served beer in public places.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man's strength develops when he has something to do, not when he is idle.

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There is considerable dissatisfaction with the school administration and the school board on the way they handled the Danny Kersey accident, if you want to call it an accident, that is not what I hear, and that is not what the children tell me and also they tell their parents. The youngster was picked up and thrown down on the floor by one of the bigger boys, if that is right then the school officials did a damn poor job of figuring it out. Why didn't they call all of the children in that were out there or in the gym at the time it took place. It is funny to me, of course, I know it was handled the quickest way to hush it up but that still didn't keep it from being poor business.

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Before waiting for your ship to come in, check to see if it ever left drydock.

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ANOTHER EXTINCT SPECIES?

Passenger railroad service began in the United States in the early 1830s, when the "Best Friend of Charleston" huffed and puffed onto the stage of history. Within 75 years, it was a small hamlet indeed that could not be reached by rail.

Such is the sad state of decay into which the passenger train has fallen since then. Today, however, nearly a century and a half later, a publisher of travel books has found it necessary to answer such questions as, "What is it like to travel by rail?" "How do you make reservations?" ' What is a roomette?" "What is a lounge car?"

The questions are answered in "Baxter's USA Train Travel Guide," subtitled, "How to Travel by Train and See the USA and Canada," which is available at major bookstores.

For the person who has seen pictures of railroad trains and has always been curious about them or the person who has heard of Amtrak but has not been quite sure just what it was or whether it really existed, and for the adventurous in spirit (or the gasoline - poor), Baxter's guide may be just the ticket.

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Walk toward a big mirror, and ten to one you will remark that you have a more awkward gait than you imagined.

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The larger the town, the older the women are before they quit dancing. Tell us a town in which the women quit at 40, and we will tell you how large the town is.

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U. S. News & World Report comments that a White House insider asserts that tape recordings made covertly during the Kennedy and Johnson Administrations contain material that would "destroy many important reputations" if made public. The source says the Nixon Administration has the tapes in hand but has no intention of making them public.

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According to a publication of The American Mutual Insurance Alliance: "Engineers with Southwest Research Institute have discovered a new way to make money talk. They have developed a device to enable blind people to distinguish currency of different denominatins. A light wand and a phototransistor are used to scan the light reflected from design patterns appearing on paper bills. Variations in light and dark patterns are translated into sound waves and the oscillating tones allow easy recognition of the denominations. For example, the rapid pace of the blips from a one-dollar bill are quite different from the more regular waves which result from scanning a $20 bill. The scanner system was developed under sponsorship of NASA's Biomedical Applications program, following a request by a rehabilitation center for something to aid blind and nearly blind operators of news stands and lunch counters."

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The average person dislikes to give praise, even when it is deserved. A Sikeston woman related that she told ten people in succession of the good traits of another that nine disagreed with her, and the tenth expressed ignorance and indifference.

H. L. Hunt

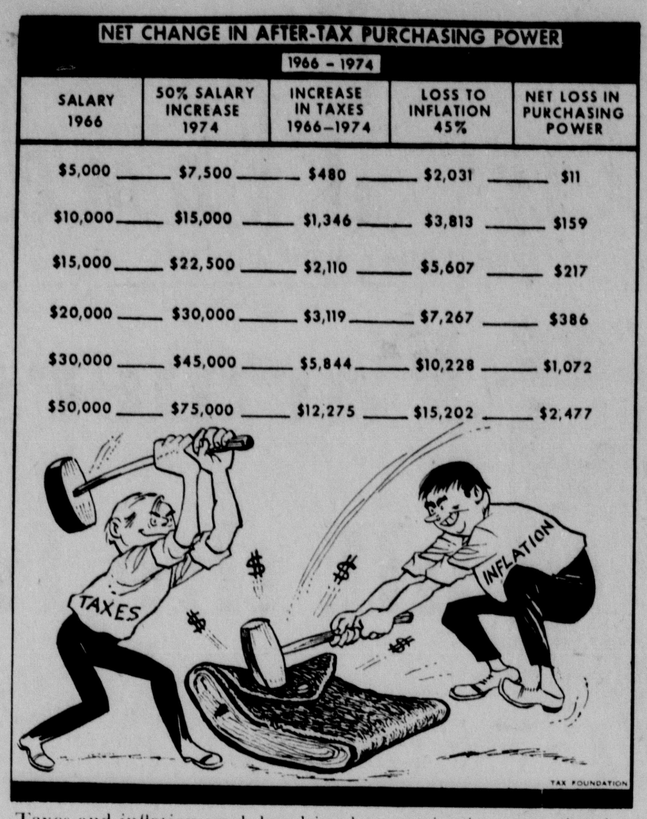
STORY OF THE LAWYERS

The national scandals that have darkened our horizons have, unfortunately, produced a cynical attitude toward politicians in general. Another segment of our nation is also feeling the scorn of the multitudes. It is the legal profession as a whole. This is the same mob psychology that developed in the wake of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy in Dallas where an entire community was libeled despite the quick apprehension of the man who pulled the fatal trigger.

It is true that a handful of lawyers have been caught up with their clients in the Washington, D.C. intrigue, and elsewhere. But it should be remembered that it was the diligence of the legal fraternity and the courts that protected the Constitution and the statutes and ferreted out the suspects for prosecution. Many of the attorneys working the scandal cases have taken large reductions in income while performing their patriotic services.

The court system of this nation is no better than the officers of the court. Those officers are the working attorneys who prosecute and defend. Without them, there would be no system of justice. The bar associations polices the legal profession and summary action has already been taken against several lawyers implicated in the scandalous intrigues.

The law is not an exact science but it is a good one. Its practitioners comprise majorities in most of our legislative bodies and are drafting most of our local, state and federal laws. When they prove bad, the lawyers rewrite them. The laws they and their predecessors wrote to helped put on the books as elected officials raise us above the law of the jungle. That's a statement all nations of the world cannot make. HLH



Taxes and inflation work hand in glove to give incomes a beating. The chart above shows how they can knock down even a hefty 50-percent increase in income in the past eight years. Tax Foundation, Inc. based the figures on a four-member family with one breadwinner, and pay raises totaling 50 percent since 1966.

TOMORROW

MARCH 17 — SUNDAY

ART WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To focus attention on Art and the artists and their achievements in society. Sponsor: Richard R. Falk Associates, 220 W. 42nd St., New York N. Y. 10036.

BIRKEBEINER SKI RACE. Mar 17. Lillehammer, Norway. Historic ski race with massed start by hundreds of competitors, racing from Lillehammer to Rena (50 km) via ancient Viking route. Commemorates famous rescue of king's son, in 1206.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS BIRTHDAY WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To celebrate the 64th birthday of the organization. Sponsor: Camp Fire Girls, Inc. Dept. of Communications, 1740 Broadway, New York, Ny. Y. 10019.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS FOUNDERS DAY. Mar. 17. Purpose: To commemorate the founding of the Camp Fire Girls and the value of the service given to girls across the nation. Sponsor: Camp Fire Girls, Inc., Dept. of Communications, 1740 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10019

DESOTO CELEBRATION, INC. Mar 17-24. Purpose: To entertain the many winter visitors to the fun and sun of this popular beach community. Re-enactment of historic landing of Hernando de Soto in 1539. Sponsor: Hernando De Soto Historical Society, Inc., Mrs. C. W. Dowell, Exedc. Secy., 809 14th St., W. Bradenton, Fla. 33505.

EVACUATION DAY. Mar. 17. Suffolk County, Massachusetts.

INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL FAIR. Mar 17-24. Verona, Italy.

IRELAND: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Mar 17. St. Patrick's Day, the highlight of a week of festivitiy celebrating Ireland's national holiday.

NATIONAL OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT. Mar 17-22. Info from: United States Chess Federation, 479 Broadway, Newburgh, NY 12550.

NATIONAL POISON PREVENTION WEEK. Mar 17-23. By Presidential proclamation. (Issued annually for third week of March).

NATIONAL POSION PREVENTION WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To aid in encouraging the American people to learn of the dangers of accidental poisoning and to take preventive measures. Sponsor: Natl. Planning Council for Poison Prevention Week, Geog S. Maisel, Secy., P. O. Box 1543, Washington, D. C. 20024.

NATIONAL SALESMEN'S WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To honor the motive power that makes America tick - her Sales Force. Sponsor: Earle Burnett Co., Earle M. Burnett, Sr., Founder, P. O. Box 80035, Lincoln, Neb. 68501.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To encourage people to go outdoors and enjoy the beauty and freedom of wildlife. Sponsor: Natl. Wildlife Federation, 1412 16th St., N. W. Washington, D. C. 20036.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY. Mar 17. Commemorates the patron saint of Ireland, Bishop Patrick who in 432 A. D. left his home in the Severn Valley, England, and introduced Christianity into Ireland.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE. Mar. 17. Philadelphia, Pa. Info. from: The Philadelphia Conv. & Tourists Bureau, 1525 John F. Kennedy Blvd., Philadelphia, Pa. 19102.

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MARCH 18 — MONDAY

GROVER CLEVELAND'S BIRTHDAY. Mar 18. 22nd and 24th President of the U. S. born this day in 1837. (Mar 18, 1837 - June 24, 1908).

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MORE THAN WATERGATE HAS IMPACT ON SPECIAL ELECTIONS

Just when the Democrats were rolling up a string of victories in special congressional elections they hit that phenomenon known as the California voter. The result is a Republican congressman-elect from the Santa Barbara area and the Democratic realization that Watergate, at least in Southern California on Tuesday, wasn't the magic word.

Robert J. Lagomarsino, the winner, stood on his record of 13 years in the California Legislature and contended that Watergate and President Nixon were not issues. A similar position was taken by the Republican candidate, also a veteran state legislator, in the Michigan election for Vice-President Ford's former congressional seat last month. Michigan voters rejected the arguments but Californians accepted it.

His seven Democratic opponents, who might have been part of the Democratic problem, harped on Watergate. By piling up 53 per cent of the vote — in a district with a Democratic majority that has sent a Republican to Congress for years — Loagomarsino won the election outright and avoided a runoff next month. His state legislative record includes strict law enforcement bills and a rigid position on environmental protection. He opposed renewed oil drilling in the Santa Barbara channel. Perhaps oil ran thicker than Watergate.

Voters in Tuesday's Ohio election appeared more responsive to the Watergate - Nixon syndrome, although it was not as clear-cut an issue as in the Michigan election. The Democratic winner, Thomas A. Luken, took a strong stand against abortion. The Republican, Willis Gradison, said he opposed abortion but stopped short of pledging support for a proposed constitutional amendment that would overturn a Supreme Court abortion decision.

The Ohio Democratic victory continued the anti-Republican trend that developed in Pennsylvania and Michigan last month. Democrats had won the district in and around Cincinnati only three times in this century and all occurred in presidential landslides the last one in 1964. William J. Keating, a Republican who resigned to become a Cincinnati newspaper executive, won 70 per cent of the vote in the district in 1972.

Both candidates have served as mayor and as members of the Cincinnati council. Gradison, who is expected to run again in the regular election, maintained that the President was not an issue, while criticizing Mr. Nixon's handling of Watergate. Both parties sent in nationally known leaders; labor made a major effort on behalf of Luken.

Tuesday's elections didn't simplify Republican strategy. The plan to stay on middle ground in the Watergate scandal, thus avoiding alienation of pro-Nixon zealots, seemed successful in one place and a failure in another. With impeachment proceedings astir, the problem is not likely to ease.

The Kansas City Star

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From a church bulletin: "Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a good chance to get rid of things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husband!"

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REJECT EXPORT CONTROLS, SAYS FARM BUREAU

The American Farm Bureau Federation has urged the Senate Banking Committee to reject legislative proposals to authorize the Administration to control exports of agricultural commodities.

Clifford G. McIntire, AFBF legislative director, and Donald E. Hirsch, assistant legislative director, said "the imposition of export controls on certain agricultural commodities earlier this year was a disastrous mistake.

"The long- run result is likely to be a loss of some hard- won markets due to shattered faith — on the part of foreign buyers confronted by broken sales contracts — in the dependability of the U.S. as a source of supplies. Furthermore, the effectiveness of U.S. representatives in upcoming trade negotiations has been reduced. It will be harder to persuade foreign countries to lower their barriers to imports of our commodities," the Farm Bureau spokesman said.

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Pan Am advertises its two daily flights through New Delhi as The Delhi Double.

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Worried about burglars getting into your house? Make it impossible. Give the windows a fresh coat of paint.

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LOWERING OUR LIVING STANDARDS

Figures on declining productivity and trade deficits are difficult for the average person to associate with the welfare of the average American worker and his family. However, the connection should be easier to grasp if the figures are translated into more understandable terms -- such as production of major manufactured products for world markets.

America has been traditionally a leader in the production of automobiles. In 1950, our share of world output of autos was 76 percent. In 1970, this had declined to 33 percent. By the same token, our share of world steel production dropped from 47 percent to 20 percent in the same period. Last year, nine out of ten radios were imported and one out of six new cars. An economist for a large West Coast bank puts the meaning of declining productivity in equally specific terms. "Internationally", he says, "low productivity places our goods at a competitive disadvantage; consequently, imports increase and exports decline and the American dollar that has served for so long as the international reserve asset is weakened. Internally, low productivity means fewer goods and services and inflation if wage increases are in excess of our productivity. This situation ... has been prevalent in our economy for the past several years."

As time goes on, low productivity and trade deficits will exact their tolls of jobs, living standards and the opportunities of those coming out of schools and colleges in future years.

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Running uphill and running down people are both bad for the heart.

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V-BELTS ARE POWER BEHIND MODERN LIFE

Modern life styles are powered, probably much more than you realized, by things called V-belts.

Both home and industry depend on V-shaped belts, mostly made of rubber, to transmit power to dozens of devices that help make life easier. The belts derive their name from their V shape that permits tight wedging of the belt, under tension, into V-shaped grooves of sheaves attached to spinning motor shafts. Some belts travel at speeds of up to 10,000 feet a minute — that's about 120 miles an hour — in small enclosed areas.

V-belts, says John A. McKay, B. F. Goodrich marketing vice president for industrial products, make possible many labor- saving devices in the home. It was his company that pioneered the development, in the early 1920's, of belts that helped revolutionize the ways and economics of power transmission for industry. Until then, power transmission was done either through direct-drive machinery or by use of leather transmission belts operating from a central shaft.

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DEFENSE. Comments by a Senator and Representative on rising defense costs brought out these items, according to the Congressional Record: in the 1974 budget, defense manpower costs, $43.9 billion, will represent 56 per cent of the Department's $79 billion budget total. Military personnel payroll costs will represent 31 per cent of the total — but civilian payroll costs will be 17 per cent, and retired pay and family housing costs, will represent about 8 per cent. In fiscal 1973, the cost of the military retirement system is estimated at $4.4 billion; by the year 2000 it will hit $25 billion.

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SATELLITES AT SEA

Maritime communication with vessels at sea has, since the early days of the "wireless" been conducted via Morse Code. Modern, high-technology vessels today need something better.

The American Institute of Merchant Shipping, the Maritime Administration and NASA are working closely together to further maritime satellite programs that deal with concepts which are revolutionary to marine navigation and communication. AIMS has also issued a report entitled, "The Evolution of the Maritime Satellite." It notes that, "Greatly improved means of operating telecommunication functions aboard a vessel would provide for more advantageous scheduling, and collision - avoidance techniques to name just a few uses. The need for modernized, trustworthy NAV/COM systems is a must in today's marine environment ... The satellite concept would enable fast, minimum delay, error free communication ship to shore and ship to ship."

At first glance, the technical problesm of updating the communication and navigation capabilities of merchant ships would seem far removed from the interests of shippers and the public -- such is decidedly not the case. Technological breakthroughs and innovations that add to the efficiency of merchant ship operations are reflected in improved service, lowered costs and greater utilization of the merchant fleet. Benefits such as these flow directly to industries, jobholders and consumers. They can be measured in terms of smoother, safer and more reliable movement of commerce. They mean taking maximum advantage of every new merchant ship that slides down the ways to take its place as part of America's new maritime muscle.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Teamsters Critical Hours: Hoffa Moving Fast; FBI Probes Him-- Fitz Takes Precedent 1974 Pay Action

WASHINGTON-- This is a tale of three Teamsters presidents. Each has made, is making or will make headlines matching anything short of war, peace and Watergate.

Ex- Brotherhood president, ex- convict octogenarian Dave Beck, who had a bat- and- bag obsession which disturbed the Internal Revenue Service, has asked for a presidential pardon. The FBI is reinvestigating his successor ex-president Jimmy Hoffa. And his successor Frank (Fitz) Fitzsimmons, having reopened the huge 1973 Teamsters National Master Freight Agreement, will set a significant 1974 precedent with tough new energy-related demands for higher wages for hundreds of thousands of over-the- road truck drivers.

For millionaire Dave Beck it's an ego trip. He wants to meet his maker as an honest man officially-- forgiven by society.

For millionaire Jimmy Hoffa, today's target is recapture of the world's largest union-- and tomorrow the industrial world. On Feb. 8, this bantam 61- year- old push-up champ filed with the U. S. pardon attorney, Lawrence Traylor, a petition seeking release from President Nixon's restrictive clemency which bans him from direct or indirect labor activity until March 6, 1980.

The petition, forwarded by his lawyers, son James Hoffa and Ellsberg's attorney Leonard Boudin of New York, claimed he is being denied his constitutional right of pursuing the business he knows best-- labor leadership.

Since then Jimmy Hoffa has discovered he is the equal of all others-- but not more equal. The pardon attorney must take everything in sequence. When Hoffa's turn came up, his petition was accorded its full rights. This means full investigation to determine what Hoffa deserves. What sort of a citizen has he been since his release from Lewisburg Penitentiary Dec. 23, 1971? With whom has he consorted? What has he done or not done? What businesses has he pursued?

Did he or did he not covertly violate the President's commutation restrictions? Since the pardon attorney has no staff for such investigations, the FBI does the probing. And is, indeed. The entire nation will be covered. Each speech Hoffa has made will be scanned. Every section of the land will be scoured. The fact that he's wealthy, that his wife still is on the Teamsters payroll for $49,000 annually and his son is retained by the Teamsters all have a bearing, I'm told.

The FBI may yet discover that Hoffa has been, or is, directly or indirectly involved in labor activities.

If so, he may well land in prison instead of in the office of the presidency of Detroit truck drivers' Local 299 which he hopes to use as his launching pad for capturing the general presidency in 1976.

Hoffa must go the route. He must exhaust his administrative procedures before going into the federal courts for relief from the presidential restrictions and to force full clemency. If there is court action, Hoffa plans to subpoena John Mitchell, John Dean and Chuck Colson.

Thus he must wait for the FBI to report to the pardon attorney. The latter must analyze all material available and pass on recommendations to Atty. Gen. Saxbe who adds his own comments and dispatches the pack to Mr. Nixon. As for the latter, one of his White House intimates tells me "there isn't a chance in a hundred that 'the old man' will approve that---'s petition."

What if Hoffa gets impatient? Atty. Gen. Saxbe has said, "If he is going to just disregard it (the President's restrictions) and run for office, my instructions are that they arrest him and put him back in the penitentiary."

Those close to Hoffa shrug their shoulders and wonder at the power drive in their friend. Hoffa has over a million dollars, heavy additional income, a posh Florida condominium, valuable real estate, and sundry business activities. They say all this means little to the little fellow. Only power motivates him, and control of the world's biggest union would give him the power he seeks.

There's little doubt all this is having significant effect on the Teamsters internally. And what affects the 2.2 million-member Brotherhood affects all labor-- including the disorganized hundreds of thousands of owner- drivers from whom this nation soon will hear again.

Thus, in effect, Fitzsimmons and his big negotiating committee are under the gun. There's always talk, geysering up strangely here, there, everywhere, that "Jimmy could do better." This talk will hang in the heavy cigarette and cigar smoke when Fitz meets the Trucking Employers, Inc., team in Chicago soon for new emergency- income restitution negotiations.

The Teamsters have the legal right to reopen. Thus they will be bargaining for 425,000 over- the- road drivers to win back the income lost by the cut in fuel and speed limits.

Everybody watches the Teamsters. What they get, other unions will demand. Already there is talk of reopening old wage contracts in many fields thought peacefully stowed away until 1976.

Wheels are sure churning the Teamsters-- and the nation too.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
Odds Favor Nixon:
Jimmy the Greek

WASHINGTON-- Jimmy the Greek Snyder, the famous Las Vegas oddsmaker, is giving odds that President Nixon will not be impeached by the House of Representatives.

The Greek has never called a presidential election wrong since the Truman- Dewey upset in 1948. Because of his uncanny accuracy, we published Jimmy's political odds exclusively throughout the 1972 campaign.

Early in February, the Greek wrote a personal letter to each member of the House of Representatives. He enclosed a confidential poll card and a stamped, self-addressed envelope. By this week, he had received a phenomenal 70.4 per cent response.

Of those representatives who responded, 91 checked the box indicating they were "against" impeachment of the President. Sixty- four favored impeachment. Twenty- four "leaned toward" impeachment; 23 "leaned against." Seventy-five marked the "undecided" box.

In addition to the poll cards, Jimmy received personal letters from 28 representatives who explained they had not made up their minds on the impeachment question because they had not heard the evidence. The Greek dropped these into the "undecided" column, bringing that total to 103.

Using these figures and a dash of black magic, Jimmy has painstakingly calculated his odds, which were figured two days before the most recent Watergate indictments were handed down. Says the Greek: "I personally figured the odds are now 50 to 1 that Nixon will not be impeached by the House."

Jimmy then took his figures to his own computer expert, who put the odds at 100 to 1 against impeachment. The odds against both impeachment and conviction, says the Greek, are a prohibitive 1000 to 1 against.

FOOTNOTE: Jimmy hastens to emphasize that his odds reflect the political situation as it existed in early March. Any new indictments or Watergate exposes, he says, could drastically alter the figures.

WAITING COUNTERFEITERS: Federal investigators have picked up reports that counterfeiters are licking their lips over the prospect of reproducing phony gas ration coupons.

Three counterfeiters in the New York area alone, according to the confidential reports, are anticipating a big business in counterfeit coupons.

One of the three firms originally selected by the federal government to print 1.1 billion gas rationing coupons lost six bins of securities three years ago to Mafia stock thieves. Ever since this horrendous heist, millions worth of spurious stocks, bonds and other securities have been appearing all over the world.

The company whose securities were raided, Jeffries Banknote of Los Angeles, has now lost the contract to print gas coupons. It's not that the government fears its coupons will be carted off by the bin load, for the company's security is tighter now. But the Jeffries presses can't handle the special coupon work.

The Federal Energy Office had hoped that the Bureau of Engraving, which has had only one substantial loss in some 25 years, could print all 4.8 billion coupons, a three- month supply.

But the Bureau of Engraving could handle only 3.7 billion of the coupons in time. The three private printers, therefore, were approached.

Jeffries dropped out a few weeks ago. The second company, American Banknote, once temporarily lost $500,000 in Bank of Mexico notes to thieves and was robbed of $250,000 from its English plant. But for almost 10 years its permanent losses in the United States have totaled less than $10,000. U.S. Banknote, the third company, has had virtually no losses.

Several shipments of bank notes have been diverted or plundered, however, after they left the safety of the banknote firms themselves. These stolen securities subsequently have been sold or used as collateral by organized crime.

Federal agents, meanwhile, are working out techniques to try to forestall similar thefts of gas coupons.

FOOTNOTE: To keep tabs on the problem, Senate Investigations Chairman Henry Jackson, D- Wash., has assigned his Mafia specialist, Philip Manuel, to quietly check out the plants and their delivery systems. The Nixon Administration still hopes, meanwhile, that rationing won't be necessary.

SMUGGLED ANTIQUITIES: The Smithsonian Institution, which has scolded art dealers for plundering antiquities from foreign lands, is about to acquire a barn load of looted treasures itself.

The Smithsonian's aristocratic Secretary S. Dillon Ripley has been preaching to the museum world against "illicit, international traffic in...antiquities." Dealers, he declared, are "the pimps of the profession."

One dealer, for instance, was caught with a tribal African god to the outrage of the tribe from whom it was stolen. And the Metropolitan Museum in New York was exposed as the owner of a "hot" Greek urn smuggled from Italy to the United States.

While holding himself above such dirty dealings, however, Ripley has been salivating over the favulous collection of Joseph Hirshhorn, the touch old stock market operator. His treasures, which include hundreds of antiquities from abroad, will soon be turned over to the Smithsonian.

In the Hirshhorn Collection are stone sculptures torn from a Mayan temple, plus Turkish, Italian and Nigerian treasures. All these lands have strict laws against removal of their relics.

A Smithsonian spokesman assured us that the Hirshhorn trustees will comb through every antiquity and return any which were clearly ripped off from foreign lands. The search will begin when the collection is turned over to the Smithsonian.

Suit filed to overturn Charleston school policies

CHARLESTON — A suit has been filed in Circuit Court here which seeks to overturn Charleston R-1 School District board of education policies on pregnant students, required attendance of eight semesters for graduation, and collection of incidental fees

Interrogatories for the plaintiff, Mrs. Margaret Layton and her "next friend", Glenn Hillhouse, were filed March 6 by their attorneys. The original suit was filed Feb. 13.

In seeking to reverse the board's policies on pregnancies and graduation requirement, the suit asks for a court order applying only to Mrs. Layton.

However, the suit is filed as a class action — one whose decision would apply to all students at the high school — in regard to the collection of incidental fees from students.

The suit alleges Mrs. Layton became pregnant prior to the 1972-73 school year, and, under a board policy, was not permitted to attend school until after the birth of her baby. It states that she took correspondence courses from the University of Missouri and achieved two units of credit in that way.

She has returned to school this year (1973-74), and at the end of the school term will have the 17 units required for graduation under present board policy. However, under another policy, she will be unable to graduate with the class of 1974 because she has not actually attended CHS for the required eight semesters, the suit alleges.

The petitioners ask the court for a temporary restraining order and temporary injunction to prohibit R-1 officials from preventing Mrs. Layton's participation in graduation ceremonies, and seeks a final order declaring the two board policies invalid as applied to Mrs. Layton. She also seeks recovery of costs and legal expenses.

In the class action suit, filed as count four of her petition, Mrs. Layton asks that the $15 per year incidental fees collected from all students at the school this year be refunded, and that the board of education be permanently enjoined from assessing such fees.

Carl Shumate Jr., who was sentenced Sept. 14, 1971 to 10 years in prison for the rape of a New Madrid County girl and another five years for armed robbery of the girl's escort, had filed a motion to set aside the sentence and judgment on grounds that his attorneys had "used lies and tricks to get him to enter a plea of guilty."

Circuit Judge Marshall Craig ruled against Shumate and dismissed his motion to vacate the sentence.

In a case styled Louise Marshall et al. vs. William H. Thompson and Edna Mae Thompson and Myrtle G. Smith, filed March 6, the plaintiffs asked the court to award a drainage easement of some 3,960 feet in length across the Thompson land, to permit the Marshall property to drain into Ditch No. 14.

The suit alleges the Marshalls had offered $1,000 for the drainage rights, but had been unable to reach agreement with the Thompsons.

As an alternative, the Marshalis ask the court to declare that by virtue of a field ditch, which allegedly existed prior to 1937, they already have a drainage easement "by prescription" across the Thompson property, and ask the court to find that they have a right to clean out vegetation and sediment The alternative remedy also asks the court to order the Thompsons to remove obstructions from the ditch and refrain from interfering with the Marshall's alleged drainage easement.

Trial for Leslie Allen Achter, charged with the Dec. 10, 1972 burglary of the home of Ricky Carr, and the theft of a hair dryer, 30-30 lever action rifle and .22 calibre pistol from Carr, has been set for May 16. Achter is presently in the Missouri State Penitentiary in Jefferson City serving sentences for other crimes.

The case will be tried by Circuit Judge Flake L. McHaney of Kennett, who was appointed to hear the case after Judge Craig was disqualified on motion of the defendant.

Guard promotes Hawes

DEXTER --Capt. Clyde M. Hawes, recent commander of the 1221st Transportation Company, has been promoted to the staff of the 735th Main Bn, Jefferson City, Missouri. He has been replaced by 1st Lt. Charles E. Kruse.

Kruse is a life long resident of Dexter, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kruse. His wife is the former Pam Rodgers, and they have one son, Scott Wayne.

Kruse enlisted in the Missouri National Guard as a private in December 1966 and received his active duty training at Fort Ord, Calif.

After attending Officers Candidate School, he received his commission in June 1969. Since that time he has been a member of the Dexter National Guard unit, serving as paatoon leader. His civilian occupation is that of research agronomist for the University of Missouri Delta Research Center.

Kruse has expressed that every attempt will be made to keep all men informed, high standards traditionally associated with the company will be maintained, no unnecessary and trivial restrictions will be imposed upon the men, the "readiness" state of the local unit will be under constant inspection, with efforts exerted at all times to improve the condition and the unit will remain ready to serve the community in every way possible. Also, he said recruiting of new men will be vigorously pursued.

Looking Back

Season's heaviest snow falls

50 years ago
March 16, 1924

Just out-- new Victor records for dancing: "Limehouse Blues" by Paul Whiteman and his orchestra; and "If You'll Come Back" by The Virginians; "Do Doodle Ooom" and "West Indies Blues" by Piron's New Orleans orchestra; "I Wonder Who's Dancing With You Tonight" by Joe Raymond and his orchestra; and "Are You Lonely?" by The Benson orchestra of Chicago. These can be found at Derris, the Druggist.

Morehouse-- Charlie Sullivan went to Paducah, Ky., Sunday on business.

Matthews-- W. H. and G. F. Deane went to Morehouse Saturday on business.

The heaviest snow of the winter fell in Sikeston Sunday. Perhaps it is best to have all the winter now and give up spring in spring time.

40 years ago
March 16, 1934

My entire time will now be devoted to insurance. Stallcup & Scott Insurance Agency has been dissolved and its customers will be serviced by me. Office will soon be opened in Stallcup Building. Clarence Scott.

The General Store at Miner Switch which has been operated for a number of years by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smoot, has been sold by them to Roland Malcolm, farmer, who resides south of Miner.

The west end of Ethel Street has been extended to be connected with Kingshighway immediately north of the W. L. Huters residence and opposite the east end of Gladys street. The property is owned by W. L. Righter, who appeared before the city council several months ago and proposed that the street be continued through and that he would donate the property on condition that the city would build a sidewalk on one side.

Big Opening-- Miss Opal Hastings was the guest of Miss Florence Pearcy Sunday.

30 years ago
March 16, 1944

E. H. Percy, prominent farmer and gin operator of Canalou, died Sunday at Sikeston General Hospital of a heart ailment. He had been in ill health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nations of Morley are parents of a son born Thursday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

Billy Joe Shelby of the navy, who is at Farragut, Idaho, is in the hospital there suffering from rheumatic fever, he writes.

Doyne Sizemore celebrated his 10th birthday anniversary Saturday by inviting a group of friend to a matinee party at the picture show, followed by refreshments of ice cream and cake at his home.

20 years ago
March 16, 1954

Charleston-- Funeral services for Harry Arthur Franklin, 75, retired carpenter and cabinetmaker, will be Wednesday. A resident of Mississippi County 30 years, he died Sunday at his home on Route 3, Charleston.

Believing that the National Guard has a definite place and responsibility in the everyday life of the city in which it is stationed, Headquarters Co., 140th Infantry, working in cooperation with Lynn Twitty, superintendent of schools, has evolved a plan to establish a $400 scholarship fund to be given to some worthy senior boy at Sikeston High School upon his graduation in June.

Recently selected as maid to "Miss Union" at Union University, Jackson, Tenn., was Miss Carolyn Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall entertained with a dinner in honor of her husband, who celebrated his 90th birthday on March 13 at his home.

Funeral services for W. F. Defoe, 56, of Canalou, who died Sunday at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape, were conducted Monday.

What's the law?

The case of the deceptive package

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Oscar was a self- made man. The authorities, however, decided to unmake him when he began to manufacture and sell a 20- inch wide roll of paper in a 24- inch wide package containing only a 19- inch wide cellophane window. Since neither end of the roll of paper could be seen in the oversized package, the government charged Oscar with trying to hornswoggle the buying public.

"Shoppers have been hit by everything but falling prices," he was told, "without being cheated as well. And, obviously, with your oversized package, you were trying to make them believe that they were buying more paper than they were actually getting."

"Nonsense," retorted Oscar indignantly. "I tried to cheat no one. The label on each package clearly and accurately stated the dimensions of the paper inside. Certainly, if people don't read labels, it's not my fault. I'm not responsible for the habits of careless shoppers."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you find Oscar guilty of hornswoggling the public?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that even though Oscar's label accurately stated the quantity of paper contained in his package, his oversized package created the misleading impression that it contained more. That sort of misleading impression, noted the judge, is not permitted by law and is what the law is intended to prevent.

(Based upon a 1963 Federal Trade Commission decision)

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF SIKESTON, MO.
Resolution

A resolution declaring the necessity for the construction of one and one- half inch hotmix asphaltic pavement on six inch soil cement base with concrete curb and gutter on and along Adams Street between Jaycee and Kiwanis Street in the city of Sikeston, Missouri; stating the nature of the improvement; the estimated cost and providing that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills levied and assessed against the abutting property. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sikeston, state of Missouri, as follows: section 1: that the council of the city of Sikeston, Missouri, deems and declares the construction of said street necessary to the welfare and improvement of the city of Sikeston. section 2: that the nature and scope of the improvement shall consist of furnishing all cost, including labor, materials and transportation necessary for the complete construction of the improvement. section 3: that the estimated cost of the improvement is $6.90 per lineal foot of abutting property, to be charged against the lots and tracts of land abutting the improvement. section 4: that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills evidencing special assessments against the abutting property in the manner specified by the statutes of the state of Missouri and the ordinances of the city of Sikeston, Missouri, because in the opinion of the city council the general revenue fund of the city of Sikeston is not in a condition to warrant an expenditure therefrom to pay for the improvement. section 5: that any work performed on construction of the improvement shall be in compliance with the provisions of the prevailing wage laws of the state of Missouri, such prevailing wage rates having been established by the industrial commission of Missouri. section 6: that the city clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this resolution to a daily newspaper of general circulation in the city of Sikeston, so that it shall be published for seven consecutive insertions. Read the first, second and third times and passed and approved this 4th day of March, 1974. Approved: John Frank Ferrell, Mayor; Attest: John W. Vaughn, City Clerk.
8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14

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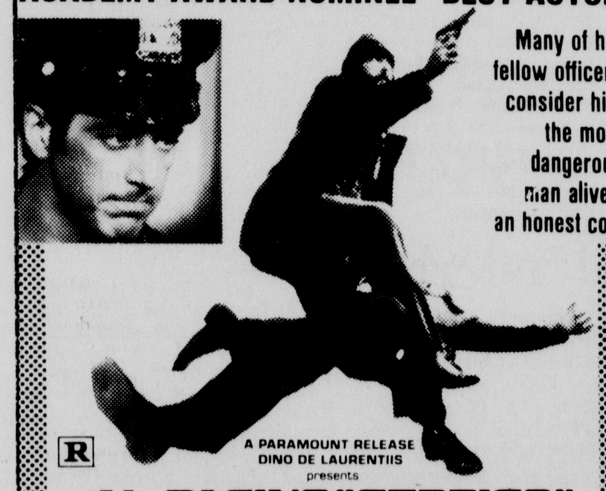
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from the Upper Room

If ... you seek the Lord your God, you will find him, if indeed you search with all your heart and soul. (Deuteronomy 4:29)

PRAYER: Dear God, we know You are always with us yet sometimes we let the wall of doubt come between us. We ask Your help that we may be more willing to put ourselves completely in Your hands, knowing that You have the answers to all our needs. Let nothing stand between us and You. Amen.

2 aldermen to be elected

ANNISTON-- Two alderman for the town board are to be elected in The April 2 general election, according to Mrs. Bob Thurman, city clerk.

One will be elected for each of the two wards for two year terms.

Filing as candidates from ward I prior to the 5 p.m. deadline Friday were Jap Easter and Harold Tatum. Filing for the position in ward II were Gary Whybark and George Hatton.

Terms of Shirley Jackson in ward I and Charley Jones in ward II are expiring.

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Ann Landers

Widow asks where 'friends' were when husband was alive

Dear Ann Landers: I can't get anything done today. My phone keeps ringing. For nearly a year I waited for it to ring. But it rang so seldom it was always a shock. The same with the doorbell. Almost nobody came.

My husband was buried yesterday, and now his "friends" are pestering me around the clock. I know it won't last long, but I have to get this off my chest.

Where was everybody when he needed visitors; He was such a fine man. Why did they come once or twice and not return? He wasn't one to ask favors. He would never impose on anybody. And he was good company, too. Where was everybody during those last months when he desperately needed to see people?

If I sound bitter, Ann, it's because I am. Please run my letter for those who know someone who is ill. Maybe it will help THEM. It's too late for my darling.-- No Signature Please

Dear N. S.: Here's your letter. If the shoe fits, folks, wear it.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm a guy. A certain chick who sits across from me in study period is the average, girl- next- door type. I sort of liked her and have been wanting to ask her out. We became pretty good friends and I made up my mind I'd get the nerve up to invite her to a movie.

All of a sudden, a strange feeling came over me. Without even thinking, I asked another chick who sits across from me. I don't know why I did it. I hardly knew this other girl. We haven't said more than ten words to each other. She seemed surprised, but accepted the invitation. So now I have to go through with it.

Can you explain why I did this crazy thing? It makes no sense.-- Big Mystery

Dear Big: When People are uptight, they sometimes say or do exactly the opposite of what they had intended. It's a freaky, psychological twist, kind of a perverse joke on themselves.

You're still young, fella. There's plenty of time left to ask Miss Girl- Next- Door, and I hope you do, soon.

Dear Ann Landers: Your columns are a faithful reflection of what is happening in the world. They provide irrefutable evidence of how times have changed.

I was struck by the letter from the mother who didn't think children should be paid for doing chores or helping in the house. She said the kids should know that, as members of the family, they were expected to pitch in and no rewards need be given. I certainly agree.

When my children were small back in the '30s, money was very hard to come by. We had four children and I gave them each 30c with the following stipulation: 10c to spend on whatever you want; 10c for pencils or writing paper for school; 10c for charity.

I never made any connection between the 30c and "reward"-- but I noted with interest that no one shirked his duties. I always felt they wanted to "earn" the money I had given them.-- Mrs. L., Edmonton

Dear Mrs. L.: You sound like a wise woman. I especially liked the 10c for charity. I wonder how many parents today plant this thought in the minds of their children?

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Community Calendar

TUESDAY
Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Sally Neel, 1016 Davis Blvd.

TUESDAY
Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mary Margaret Abernathy at Brorein Acres, off Tanner Road. Program leader will be Lillian Whitson.

TUESDAY
Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ben Matthews, 609 Elm St.

SUNDAY
Concordia Lutheran Church will host its annual spaghetti supper from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the church, located at the corner of Park Avenue and Wakefield Street.

SUNDAY
The Together Group will meet at 6 p.m. in the home of Paula Cunningham at Bertrand.

THURSDAY
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the Heritage House. Visitors are welcome.

THURSDAY
American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Heritage House for a potluck supper.

New Madrid Calendar

MONDAY
Rotary Club meets at 6:15 p.m. at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, Highway 61.

MONDAY
Kiwanis Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at Pauline's Cafe, 530 Mott St.

TUESDAY
Marston Civic Improvement Club meets at 7:30 p.m. in the United Methodist Church recreation room.

WEDNESDAY
Jaycees meet at 8 p.m. in the Jaycee Building, 710 Riley St.

WEDNESDAY
First United Methodist Church Lenten program and dinner, given by the Methodist Youth Fellowship, will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the educational building.

THURSDAY
Presbyterian Women of the Church meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Algie Phillips.

THURSDAY
Missouri Vanguard Theatre will present a performance of George Bernard Shaw's classic comedy, "Pygmalion", at 7:30 p.m. in the New Madrid High School gymnasium through sponsorship of the New Madrid Rotary Club. Tickets are available from Rotarians, Or Harold Sloas Rotary Club secretary, telephone number 748-2212.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

BELL CITY SCHOOLS
Monday
Hot dog on bun
Blackeyed peas
Sauer kraut
Apricot pie
Butter
Milk
Tuesday
Italian spaghetti
Buttered corn
Lettuce salad
Hot rolls
Butter
Milk
applesauce
Wednesday
Vegetable beef stew
Carrot and celery sticks
Peanut butter sandwich
Pear half
Milk
Crackers
Thursday
Turkey with gravy
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Fruit
Bread
Butter
Milk
Friday
Fish fillets
Baked beans
Cole slaw
Apple pie
Bread
Butter
Milk

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Monday
Half pint milk
Beef and noodles
Tossed salad
Green beans
Banana pudding
Bread and butter
Tuesday
Half pint milk
Fried fish on bun
Buttered potatoes
Pickled beets
Cake with peanut butter icing
Wednesday
Half pint milk
Barbecued pork on bun
French fries
Mixed greens
Cinnamon apples
Thursday
Half pint milk
Burrito
Cheese slice
Tossed salad
Banana
Bread and butter
Friday
Half pint milk
Chili burger on bun
Cole slaw
Fruit cocktail
Cookie

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS LUNCH MENU
Monday
Weiner with mustard
Potato salad
Baked beans
Cherry cobbler
Bread and butter
One half pint milk
Tuesday
Hamburger on bun with mustard
French fries with catsup
Seasoned pinto beans
Strawberry gelatin
Peanut butter cookie
One half pint milk
Wednesday
Roast beef with brown gravy
Creamed potatoes
Buttered whole kernel corn
Grape jelly
Hot rolls and butter
One half pint milk
Thursday
Beef ravioli in tomato sauce
Ham salad sandwich
Buttered garden peas
Apple sauce cake with powdered sugar icing
One half pint milk
Friday
Deep fried chicken
Creamed potatoes
Seasoned green beans
Cranberry sauce
Sliced peaches
Bread and butter
One half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BREAKFAST MENU
Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One half pint milk
Tuesday
Hot oatmeal
Oven buttered toast
Grape jelly
Mixed juices
One half pint milk
Wednesday
Scrambled eggs with bacon bits
Hot biscuit with butter
Apple jelly
Juice
One half pint milk
Thursday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven fried sausage
Mixed juices
One half pint milk
Friday
Coffee cake with crumb topping
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One half pint milk

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS
Monday
One- half pint milk
Spoon burger
French fries with tomato catsup
Lima beans
Chocolate cake
Butter
Tuesday
One- half pint milk
Italian spaghetti
Cole slaw
Rolled wheat rolls
Chilled pear chunks
Butter
Wednesday
One- half pint milk
Tacos
Mexican beans
Shredded lettuce with tomatoes
Fruit cobbler
Butter
Thursday
One- half pint milk
Meat loaf
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Cole slaw with red pepper
Chilled peaches
Hot rolls
Butter
Friday
One- half pint milk
Turkey with noodles
Green peas
Tossed salad with oil and vinegar dressing
Chocolate cake
Butter

MATTHEWS SCHOOL
Monday
No School
Tuesday
No School
Wednesday
No School
Thursday
One-half pint milk
Beef pot pie
Buttered corn
Pickled beets
Pineapple slice
Peanut butter
Bread
Friday
One-half pint milk
Pimento cheese sandwich
Mixed vegetables
Potato sticks
Pear half
Butter

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS
Monday
One-half pint milk
Barbecued beef on bun
Corn on cob
Tossed salad w/tomatoes
Peach cobbler
Butter
Tuesday
One-half pint milk
Coney island
Cole slaw with red peppers
Peanut butter cookies
Butter
Wednesday
One-half pint milk
Cube beef steak
Whipped potatoes
Tossed salad
Green beans
Hot rolls
Applesauce
Butter
Thursday
One-half pint milk
Spaghetti with meat balls
Green peas
Whipped potatoes
Cole slaw
Hot rolls
Peach half
Butter
Friday
One half pint milk
Barbecued turkey on bun
Buttered corn
Cole slaw with red peppers
Red velvet cake
Butter

SCOTT COUNTY CENTRAL
Monday
Hamburger on bun
Pickles and onion
Sweet potatoes
Blackeyed peas
Ice cream
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Beef and gravy
Creamed potatoes
Green limas
Hot rolls
Butter / jelly
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Chili and crackers
Pickles
One-half peanut butter sandwich
Fruit
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Fried chicken
Potatoes
Green beans
Fruit
Bread
One-half pint milk
Friday
Fish on bun
Catsup or tartar sauce
French fries
Green peas
Jello
One-half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOL LUNCH
Monday
Barbequed turkey on bun
French fries with catsup
Harvard beets
Pineapple upside down cake
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Italian spaghetti
Buttered garden peas
Tossed salad with thousand island dressing
Grape Jelly
Hot rolls and butter
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Hot dog
Seasoned pintos
Seasoned mixed greens
Mashed potatoes
Spiced applesauce
Corn bread and butter
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Pizza with ground beef and grated cheese
Buttered whole kornel corn
Combination salad
Strawberry jello
Peanut butter sandwich
Friday
Chicken and dumplings
Buttered peas and carrots
Cranberry sauce
Sliced peaches
Spiced cake with powdered sugar icing
Bread and butter
One-half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BREAKFAST Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven fried bacon
Mixed juices
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Scrambled eggs with bacon bits
Hot biscuits with butter
Apple butter
Orange juice
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Coffee cake with crumb topping
Assorted dry cereal
Mixed juices
One-half pint milk
Friday
Hot oatmeal
Oven buttered toast
Grape jelly
Orange juice
One-half pint milk



Karon Palmer

Palmer-Pensel

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. William C. Palmer, Route Three, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Karon to Timothy Raye Pensel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pensel of Cape Girardeau.

Miss Palmer, a 1971 graduate of Charleston High School, is a junior at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau. Pensel is a 1969 graduate of Cape Central High School and a 1973 graduate of SeMo State where he earned a bachelor of science degree in industrial and technical education. He is employed by the university as a production printer.

A June wedding is planned.



Jana Sisk

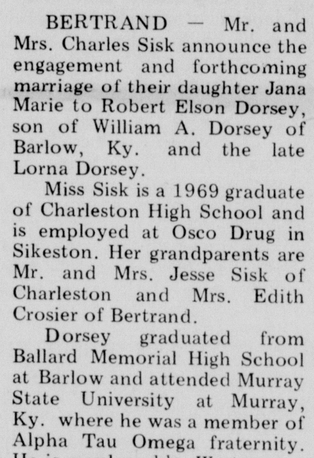
Sisk-Dorsey

BERTRAND — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sisk announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Jana Marie to Robert Elson Dorsey, son of William A. Dorsey of Barlow, Ky. and the late Lorna Dorsey.

Miss Sisk is a 1969 graduate of Charleston High School and is employed at Osco Drug in Sikeston. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sisk of Charleston and Mrs. Edith Crosier of Bertrand.

Dorsey graduated from Ballard Memorial High School at Barlow and attended Murray State University at Murray, Ky. where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is employed by Westvaco at Wickliffe, Ky.

The wedding will be solemnized May 5 at 3 p.m. in First Baptist Church at Charleston.



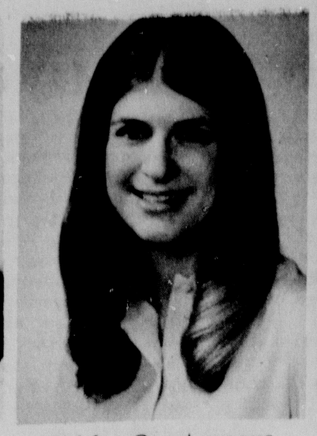
Deborah Murphy

Murphy-Pasierb

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Murphy, 203 Ruth St. announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Deborah to Joseph Pasierb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pasierb of North Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Murphy is a 1971 graduate of Matthews High School and is employed by Safeway in Sikeston. Pasierb, a 1971 graduate of University of Arkansas at Little Rock, is manager of a Safeway Store in Kennett.

A late summer wedding is planned.



Shirley Quertermous

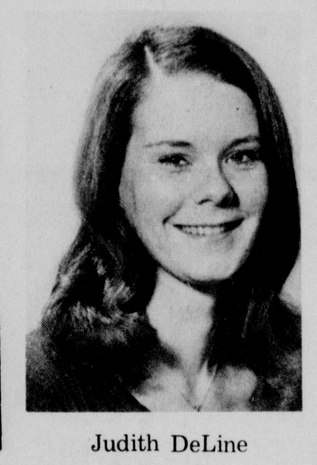
Quertermous-Davis

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quertermous announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Shirley Jo to Charles Alan "Chuck" Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Davis of East Prairie.

Miss Quertermous is a 1973 graduate of Charleston High School and is a sophomore at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau, where she is majoring in computer science. She is a member of Alpha Delta Pi social sorority.

Davis is a 1971 graduate of East Prairie High School and is a senior at SeMo State majoring in marketing. He is vice president of Alpha Kappa Psi professional business fraternity.

Vows will be solemnized Aug. 3.



Judith DeLine

DeLine-Hathhorn

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. J. L. DeLine announce the engagement of their daughter Judith Kaye to George Lawton Hathhorn, son of Mrs. Dorothy Hathhorn and the late Virgil Hathhorn.

Miss DeLine is a 1970 graduate of Charleston High School and is a senior at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau majoring in speech pathology. She will graduate in May, then enter graduate school. Hathhorn, a 1969 Charleston High graduate, is also a senior at SeMo State, where he is majoring in elementary education. Following graudation in May, he plans to pursue a teaching career while working on his masters degree.

Wedding vows will be exchanged at 2 p.m. May 26 in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Tom Wilks performing at the double-ring ceremony.



Jackie Curtner

Curtner-Yardley

SHATTUC, Ill. — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curtner, former residents of Matthews, Mo., announce the engagement of their daughter Jackie Sue to Calvin Yardley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yardley of Shattuc.

A June 29 wedding is planned.

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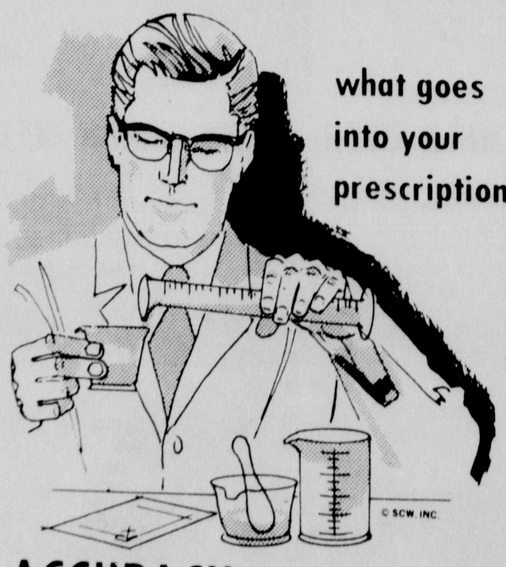
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Lilbourn adds another prize

By Ron Jaynes

The class AA state basketball champion - Lilbourn Panthers added another big prize to their season total Thursday night when they were named unanimously as Southeast Missouri's "Number One Team" by the Daily Standard's sports panel of coaches. Coach Larry Warren's 30 -2 Panthers ended a two year hold onto the coveted M.M. McMahon memorial trophy by the Advance Hornets and became the eighth receipiant of thepprize.

Lilbourn finished a distant fourth last season behind Advance, Cape Central and Kelly, but garnered all 15 first place votes for the unanimous tag.

This season Kelly and Cape Central placed second and third respecitavely with better than 100 point totals.

William Wilthong of Illmo -Scott was named as the Standard's Kenny Knox Memorial football coach of the year receipiant after leading his team to an undefeated season and a game winning streak.

Warren was selected as the Arnold Ryan memorial basketball coach of the year receipiant and thus became the first coach in the district to win two Daily Standard honors. The former Zalma coach received the paper's Rookie coach of the year honor in 1969.

The memorial trophies are in honor of three of the Bootheel's outstanding coaches. Knox was a tremendous football coach at Sikeston and Cape Girardeau's Southeast Missouri State University. Ryan was the heralded coach of the great Puxico Indians team of the 50's and later coached at Lilbourn and Charleston, where he was felled by a thrown baseball and died. McMahon coached basketball over 40 eyars and was in in his 27th season at Clarkton when he died two years ago. These men were credits to their job and to the fine athletic program in the Bootheel, which they helped build.

The final poll, with first place votes in parenthesis and total points at right.

Lilbourn (15)	150
Kelly	130
Cape Central	117
Advance	86
Neelyville	86
Potosi	55
North Pemiscot	43
Parma	18
Kennett	63
Notre Dame	16

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By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

The National Collegiate Athletic Association's basketball tournament is down to eight survivors and holding...but only briefly.

The action resumes Saturday with four regional championship games that will produce the tournament's semifinalists.

In the East, top-ranked North Carolina State, faces Pittsburgh at Raleigh, N.C. No. 2 UCLA, recovering from a triple overtime scare with Dayton, plays San Francisco for the West title at Tucson, Ariz. At Tuscaloosa, Ala., Michigan, upset winner over Notre Dame, takes on Marquette for the Mideast crown. And Kansas faces Oral Roberts for the Midwest championship at Tulsa, Okla.

Saturday's winners meet a week later in Greensboro, N.C., with East meeting West and Mideast against Midwest. The championship game will be played Monday night.

Meanwhile, New York's National Invitation Tournament gets under way at Madison Square Garden with afternoon and evening doubleheaders. Manhattan plays MarylandEastern Shore and North Carolina meets Purdue in the first pair. Saturday night, it will be Massachusetts against Jacksonville and Fairfield vs. Hawaii.

The NCAA draw sets up a possible dream clash of the nation's top two teams, but at the semifinal stage instead of for the title. That, of course, assumes that North Carolina State, boasting the tournament's best record at 27-1, can handle Pitt, and that gritty UCLA, trying for an unprecedented eighth consecutive national championship, finishes off San Francisco. Both teams are favored in the regional title games.

Third-ranked Notre Dame dropped out of the picture at the hands of Michigan, 77-68. Campy Russell scored 36 for the Wolverines in the Mideast region game. Marquette beat Vanderbilt 69-61 for the other berth.

N.C. State, down by one point with just over 14 minutes left, destroyed Providence the rest of the way, winning 92-78 for its 25th straight victory. David Thompson poured in 40 points. Pitt ousted Furman 81-78 with Bill Knight scoring 34.

UCLA's titanic struggle with Dayton needed three extra periods before it was decided, 111100 for the Bruins. Bill Walton scored 27 points five in the final overtime, and grabbed 19 rebounds for UCLA.

Bootheel all-league

'A" TEAM	GR.	Ht.	SCHOOL	Pt. Avg.
David Madden	11	5'7	S. Pem.	19.7
Billy Hale	12	6'3	Cooter	15.
Thomas Mead	10	6'1	Delta C-7	15.1
Carey Guyton	11	5'9	Delta C-7	15.7
Jack Ratliff	12	6'1	Delta C-7	10.9
Richard Pitts	12	6'3	C'ville	14 5
Sylvester James	10	6'4	Hayti	12.5
Harry Grant	12	6'3	Hayti	16.5
Jerry Stewart	10	5'10	N. Pem.	15.
Curley Reedus	12	5'11	N. Pem.	12.

HONORABLE MENTION

Allen Becker	11	S. Pem.
Gary Walton	11	C'ville
Frankie Gooden	12	Hayti
Richard Hursey	11	N. Pem.
Ray Norris	10	N. Pem.

"B" TEAM	Gr.	Ht.	SCHOOL	Pt.Avg.
Wayne Robinson	9	5'11	Hayti	17.4
Robert Blackmon	9	6'2	N. Pem.	16.5
Danny Robinson	10	5'9	N. Pem.	14.5
Joe Martin	10	6'	S. Pem.	11.8
Jerry Archer	10	6'	S. Pem.	10.3
Robert Jones	10	6'1	Cooter	12.4
Roger Phillips	10	6'2	Cooter	10.
George Riley	9	5'6	Delta C-7	17.3
Danny Crews	10	5'10	Delta C-7	12.
Jerome Wilson	10	6'2	C'ville	12.2

HONORABLE MENTION

Buddy Barron	10	S. Pem
Buddy Knox	10	C'ville
Terry Hollywood	10	Cooter

All-Conference Teams selected
by league coaches
"A" Tournament Champion-Delta C-7
"A" Conference Champion-Delta C-7
"B" Tournament Champion-N. Pemiscot
"B"B Conference Champion-Tri-Champs
North Pemiscoe
South Pemiscot
Delta C-7

FINAL CONFERENCE STANDINGS

"A" Team	Conf.	Overall	"B" Team	Conf.	Overall
Delta C-7	5-0	17-9	N. Pem.	3-2	18-3
N. Pem.	4-1	18-9	S. Pem.	3-2	10-6
C'ville	3-2	10-11	Delta C-7	3-2	17-6
Hayti	2-3	5-16	Hayti	2-3	8-8
S. Pem.	1-4	4-16	Cooter	2-3	13-9
Cooter	0-5	0-21	C'ville	2-3	6-10

Tourney set

A 10 team field will begin eliminations Monday night in the Vanduser Men's Independent basketball tournament.

The Daily Standard squares off against the Sikeston Old Timers at 7 p.m. in the tourney tipoff that will be followed by a Lilbourn -Matthews battle at 8:30.

Tournament play resumes Tuesday with Security -National Bank battling the opening game winner at 7 p.m. and First National colliding with Essex at 8:30.

Wednesday's schedule finds Morehouse matched against the second winner at 7 p.m. and the Sikeston Radio announcers against Vanduser at 8:30.

Semifinals will be Thursday with finals Friday.

Wrestling returns

Wrestling will return to the American Legion Hall Tuesday night at 8:30 p.m. with a Triple Main event card and a fourman tag match, two out of three falls -60 minute time limit, with Ronnie Ricketts and the Big Ox teaming up to meet Rocky Johnson and Dean Martin. The wrestling is sponsored by the American Legion.

The second match is a two out of three 60 minute time limit with the Black Panther meeting Ron Petty.

The Third match is the Mass Destroyer meeting Rick Petty plus one other match to be announced at ring side. Nine man TV all star card.

LEADS ARMY ELEVEN

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Army's 1974 football team will have its first black captain in history next season. He is Bob Johnson, a junior defensive end. Johnson is a graduate of Mitchell High School in Memphis. He also competes for the Cadets as a 190-pound wrestler.

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West
UCLA, 24-3, vs. San Francisco, 19-8, at Tucson, Ariz., 4 p.m. EDT
Midwest
Kansas, 22-5, vs. Oral Roberts, 23-4, 2 p.m. EDT
Mideast
Michigan, 22-4, vs. Marquette, 24-4, at Tuscaloosa, Ala., 4 p.m. EDT

NIT at New York
First Round
Manhattan, 18-8, vs. Maryland-Eastern Shore, 26-1, 2 p.m. EDT
North Carolina, 22-5, vs. Purdue, 17-9, 4 p.m. EDT
Massachusetts, 21-4, vs. Jacksonville, 18-8, 7 p.m. EDT
Fairfield, 17-8, vs. Hawaii, 188, 9 p.m. EDT

Sports

NICKLAUS WAS TOPS

NEW YORK (AP) — Three professional golfers won more than three tour events in 1973 with Jack Nicklaus the leader. Nicklaus turned in seven victories which included the PGA championship, worth $45,000 to the former Ohioan.

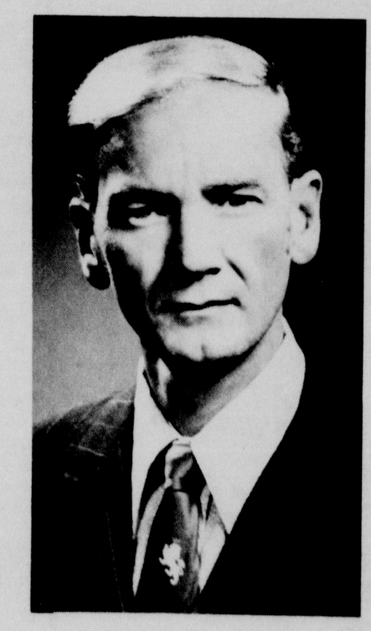
Tom Weiskopf and Bruce Crampton both won four events. Weiskopf's British Open title was not counted among his PGA tour wins. That win was worth $14,300. Weiskopf's top money prize — $40,000 — came in the Kemper Open. Crampton, from Australia, earned his top purse of $41,000 in the Houston Open.

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Begin preparing garden soil now

By JOHN D. GARRETT
Area Agronomy
Specialist

It may seem too early to start preparing soil for your garden, but it is not. Abundant rains in spring often make soil preparation difficult. Therefore, we must take advantage of short periods when the soil is workable. I have noticed a few gardens already plowed.

Anytime when the soil is not frozen, or when it is not too wet, it can be prepared. The structure of some soils can be ruined by digging or plowing when it is muddy, and it will be turned into hard, unmanageable clumps when it dries. This is particularly true of heavy clay soils. Be sure not to work your soil when it is too wet

Probably the best way to improve poor soil, whether heavy clay or sandy, is by the addition of liberal amounts of organic material. Two inches of organic material spread on the surface and dug or plowed into the soil will help separate the particles of tightly compacted clay, and the texture will become more granular. In a poor, sandy soil, organic material will increase its ability to retain water and nutrients.

Do not expect too much too soon. It often takes several years of cultivation before a poor soil will be in top condition. The addition of organic material will break down and decompose into stable organic matter.

Well rotted manure, compost or peat moss are the most common sources of organic matter. However, other materials may be available locally, Aged sawdust, ground corncobs, or processed sewage are a few of these.

A compost pile is generally the most economical means of obtaining organic materials for use in the garden. During the coming season, weeds, grass clippings, leaves, and many other items can be added together to form a compost heap.

It will take at least a year for the compost to be ready, so if you do not have one going, plan on purchasing some organic material this season. Simple directions for making a compost pile are available in the Horticultural Guide Sheet 6950, "Steps in Fertilizing Garden Soil," available from local University of Missouri Extension Center in Benton

A soil test is essential to aid in establishing a new garden. The same Guide Sheet gives directions on how to properly take a soil sample for testing. Samples should be taken to the extension center in Benton.

The test results will give an indication of how much fertilizer if any, is needed to bring the soil fertility up to a desirable level. It will also determine your soil's pH, a measure of its acidity or alkalinity. Most vegetables prefer a slightly acid soil with a pH range between 6 and 7. Since most of Scott County soils are more acid than this, the report will also give a recommendation for the amount of limestone necessary to raise the pH to a desirable level.

In established gardens where plants have been growing well, a soil test is not necessary every year. However, since a crop of vegetables reduces the basic fertility level, a maintenance fertilization program will be necessary when the soil is prepared. When the garden is spaded or plowed, a general garden fertilizer such as a 12-12-12 can be applied at a maintenance rate of about seven lbs. per 1,000 square feet of garden area. When the first number of the three numbers listed on the fertilizer is higher, slightly less may be needed. Extra nitrogen will be needed when vegetables begin to fruit, More fertilizer can always be added later, so take care not to apply too much when preparing the garden. The above Guide Sheet, 6950, will tell you how much extra nitrogen to add.

The early spring garden is often one of the most rewarding for the beginner. By taking advantage of a break in the weather now, we will be ready to start planting soon.

'High feed costs are holding back hog production'

WASHINGTON (AP) — High feed costs are holding back hog production and the outlook for the near future does not call for much improvement, say Agriculture Department economists.

One indicator is the price relationship with corn, measured by a hog-corn ratio. Officials said Wednesday the preliminary ratio for February was 13.7 computed on the basis of Omaha prices.

The figure represents the bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of live weight hog sold on the market. A higher number means farmers have a better chance for profits.

According to USDA records, the 13.7 reading for February was the lowest since 1971 when hog prices were depressed mainly because of large output. The ratio in January, 1971, for example, was 11.0.

A report on the livestock and meat situation this week by the Department's Economic Research Service said that normally hog producers are encouraged to expand production when the ratio averages over 20 for a sustained period. That was not the case, however, in 1972 when the annual average was 20.6 or in 1973 when it averaged an even 20 on the basis of Omaha prices.

Economists say there has been too much uncertainty the past couple of years for producers to make necessary commitments and investments for expanding hog programs. Also, at least among many Corn Belt farmers, feed grain prices had been so high that it has been more profitable to sell corn for cash.

The report also said there has been an attrition among hog farmers. As of Dec. 1, 1973, there were 752,020 hog farms in the country, down 5 per cent from a year earlier. Iowa continued as the leading state with about 86,000 units, down from 89,000 the year before.

"Strengthening live hog markets and lower feed prices may develop into a major expansion program late this year, but substantially larger slaughter supplies are not likely before 1975," the report said.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Milk production, which slipped 3.5 per cent in 1973, is expected to decline again this year by about 1 per cent, says the Agriculture Department.

But the department's Outlook and Situation Board said Wednesday output may rise again late in 1974 if record feed grain harvests materialize.

"Feed prices will probably stay high into summer, but milk prices will be well above 1973, improving the dairy income picture," the report said.

Reviewing the decline in milk production last year officials added:

"High feed prices reduced milk output per cow, the first drop in almost 30 years and together with strong slaughter cow prices caused the rate of decline in milk cow number to accelerate."

Prices paid milk producers have risen sharply, averaging $8.95 per 100 pounds on an allgrade basis in February, up 36 per cent from a year earlier.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Will the fad among college youth for streaking nude in public places invade the normally staid old Agriculture Department?

Officials doubt it, but there has been a rash of gag notices on USDA bulletin boards lately. One seen Wednesday said a "streaking on the Mall" had been rescheduled to begin at 1 p.m. instead of noon.

Asked by a reporter if Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz condoned streaking, one spokesman—who quickly asked not to be identified—said: "You might say there will be no bare Butz involved. And that's spelled BU-T-Z."

Bernie farmer wins top honors with corn yield

BERNIE — Clinton N. Grindstaff, of rural Bernie has received notification from the National Corn Growers Association of Boone, Iowa, that his 1973 yield entry of 169.32 bushels per acre, on a given 25-acre plot, has won top honors in state competition for Missouri. He and his wife will attend the national awards banquet in Des Moines, Iowa, to receive recognition along with winners of other states.

Grindstaff is preparing to enter the 1974 contest. His entry will contain the location of the 25-acre plot he has chosen, cropping information, fertillzers, herbicides and insecticides. When the yield is ready it must be gathered, transported and weighed in the presence of the sponsoring agent and cannot contain above 15.5 per cent moisture.

The entry is then signed, notarized and mailed to await final results.

He stated his goal this year was to be the top irrigated corn grower in the United States and he is gearing himself into that effort.

Barnwarming held in Risco

RISCO — Risco chapter of Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America held their 14th annual barnwarming dance Monday evening and crowned new barnwarming queen and king Shirley White and Tommy Robertson.

The group squaredanced throughout the evening and best dressed awards were presented to Jo Carol Elder and Dennis Patterson.

Approximately 105 members, guests and faculty of Risco High School were in attendance.

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Told by their president, Thomas Jefferson, to explore the unknown territory west of the Mississippi to determine if there was a usable water route across the continent, Lewis and Clark set out to do as they were ordered

Farmers advised to present fuel needs

NEW MADRID — "Tell your distributor or supplier of your present and future fuel needs" Larry Blunt, executive director of the New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization and conservation Service, advises farmers. "Unless your local distributor or dealer knows in advance what farm customers require, he cannot take action to get fuel for them."

Informing the distributor is even more important for a farmer, if a farmer intends to increase his operation considerably or if he has changes in a need for a particular fuel because of an equipment change or other reasons, Blunt said.

All farmers, regardless of size of operation, are to get 100 per cent of their current fuel requirements for agricultural production.

Farmers should know, however, that top priority does not automatically guarantee that a local distributor will have enough fuel to meet their needs Blunt said.

Insect management program to be held

PORTAGEVILLE--- Varied aspects of insect management, which is extremely important to the success of a cotton crop, will be covered in the 1974 cotton insect pest management program offered for area cotton producers at the University of Missouri Delta Research Center.

The program is designed to help farmers whose profit dollars are devoured by improperly timed insecticide applications or who follow neighbors' actions and apply possibly unnecessary applications which destroy valuable beneficial insect population.

Producers, who avoid extensive use of insecticides because of the additional costs involved, may also receive help from the program.

Cotton insect management is also important to farmers who do not scout and monitor fields weekly to predict bollworm and boll weevil hatchouts and detect thrips, spider mites and plant bug infestations.

Producers, who wish to obtain the services of a cotton insect scout or would like to be added to the Delta Center's mailing list for the Weekly Cotton Insect Newsletter, should detach and return the attached form.

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4-H Club members

Sikeston 4-H Club members, who planted over 1,000 seedling trees for soil conservation purposes Saturday in Blodgett are: front row, from left, Amy Bass, Gail Leonard, Stephanie Huff, Missy Manning and Ramsay Manning. Second row, Mike Moore, Pat Hunter, Phillip Chegwidden, Heather McFarland, Andrea Hines, Tina Hines and Gretchen Myers. Third row, Danny Fulton, Mark Moore, Lee Dockins, Ben Hunter, Kim McFarland, Cheryl Whiffen, Sandy Spurlin, Michele Manning and John Huff, Fourth row, Donna MacLaughlin, Kert MacLaughlin, Chris Hunter Gary Leonard, Susan MacLaughlin, David Ahlvin, Liz Ahlvin, Stan Polivick, Jim Huff, Carl Leonard and Lew Polivick.



Planting trees for conservation

A Sikeston 4-H Club project in which more than 1,000 trees were planted for soil conservation purposes Saturday by, from left, Jerry Harlow of Benton, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service; Jim Huff; Liz Ahlvin Stan Polivick, chairman of the club's tree- planting project, and Mike Moore.

4-Hers practice conservation

A group of 42 Sikeston 4-H Club members and leaders planted over 1,000 autumn olive seedlings for soil conservation purposes on a farm near Blodgett Saturday.

The tree planting was sponsored by the 4-H Club's conservation project group, under the direction of Stan Polivick, 4-H junior leader. Polivick was assisted by David Ahlvin and Jim Huff, who are also involved in the junior leadership aspect of the 4-H program.

The mile- long windbreak project received th cooperation of the county Soi Conservation Service office District conservationist Jerry Harlow of Benton served as consultant for the project.

Groups preparing farmers' fuel information booklet

BENTON — The Federal Energy Office and the U.S. Department of Agriculture are jointly preparing a pamphlet explaining procedures and action that should be taken to help assure that farmers get enough fuel to meet their needs, Kenneth E. Vowels, executive director of the Scott County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) said today.

The pamphlet is titled "Fuel Allocations for Farmers". It notes that the Federal Energy Office has designated agriculture to receive top priority in the distribution of fuel and lists steps farmers should take to get fuel supplies.

The pamphlet suggests farmers tell the local distributor of their present and future needs so that distributors or dealers can know in advance what the customer requires. If local distributors do not have enough to meet even agricultural production needs, they can ask FEO to correct the shortage through use of an FEO form number 17.

Vowels said farmers needing emergency help should apply direct to the State Energy Office (SEO) for a temporary, emergency allocation, using FEO form number 20, or any other form developed by the SEO.

The forms are available at the Regional FEO, the State Energy Office and the local ASCS office.

Training sessions are being conducted so that farmers can get help in the ASCS office in filling out the forms.

Vowels explained that farmers using less than 20,000 gallons of fuel a year, who do not have a supplier, may use FEO form number 20 to apply for permanent assignment to a supplier.

FEO regulations require farmers and others receiving allocations at the 100 per cent level to certify to their suppliers that they have an energy conservation program in effect. Farmers are to use priority fuel only for agricultural production, and to buy no more than enough to meet 100 per cent of current needs.

The Daily Standard,

Sikeston, Mo.

March 16, 1974

Combine pre-emergence with broadleafed killers

By JOE H. SCOTT
State Agronomy Specialist

Soybean growers will be applying more combinations of pre- emergency herbicides this season than in the past. More combinations are being registered and suggested by industry and university weed specialists as a method for controlling a wide array of weeds than in past years.

Hard to kill broadleafed weeds have invaded soybean fields and growers are looking for ways to keep these weeds from reducing their yields. Bushels lost to weeds add up to big money when soybeans are demanding prices like they are today.

To get best results from combinations of pre-emergence herbicides, good grass killers like Lasso, Treflan, Planavin and Amiben are being combined with stronger broadleaved killers like Sencor, Lorox, Maloran, Bromex, Solo and Dyanap.

This doesn't mean that our postemergence herbicides won't be needed. When properly used dinoseb, 2, 4-DB, bentazon and dinoseb plus naptalan can be just as effective as some of the above combinations in controlling broadleafed weeds.

These postemergency chemicals will be needed if deep seeded weeds like cocklebur, morninglory and velvet leaf escape the combinations.

Also, these postemergency chemicals can be used with good results in a program with single pre- emergency treatments. Combinations will be applied as tank mixtures or as sequential treatments (a preplant followed by a surface applied herbicide).

Tank mixes that have label clearance and can be found in our 1974 University of Missouri soybean weed control guide are: Lasso + Lorox, Amiben + Lorox, Lasso + Bromex or Maloran, Lasso + Sencor, Treflan + Sencor (state label), Solo + Lasso, Dyanap + Lasso and Lasso + pre- emerge.

Some of the above are under the experimental or trial section as are all the sequential treatments of Treflan + Amiben, Treflan + Sencor, Treflan + Lorox and Planavin + Amiben, Sencor or Lorox. Before using any of the combinations, study the label and MU guide.

The success of combinations, or for that matter, the use of any herbicide will depend on good management. The weed problem and soil type in each field must be known. Careful attention to rate is needed to avoid injury and to obtain effective weed control. Therefore, frequent sprayer calibration is a must.

If you have a field that is heavily infested with established Johnson grass, it would be best to use a control method like a preplant treatment of dalapon, and/or the 2 x Treflan or Planvin treatment, rather than using a lesser rate of Treflan or Planavin in a combination.

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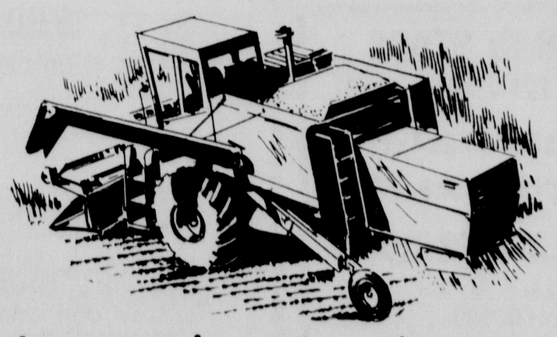
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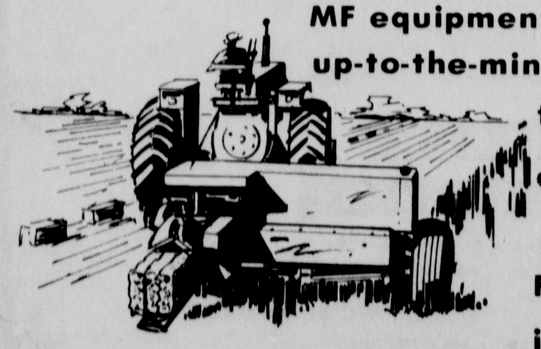
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Stu, Tom ask for research fund increase

WASHINGTON (AP) — Missouri Sens. Stuart Symington and Thomas F. Eagleton Friday asked appropriations subcommittees to give the Agriculture Department an increase in agricultural research funds that would amount to more than four times the boost the administration seeks.

The two Democrats, in letters to the subcommittee chairmen, Sen. Gale McGee, D-Wyo., and Rep. Jamie Whitten, D-Miss., asked that fiscal year 1975 appropriations provide an additional $36 million for research by land-grant and forestry schools.

The Nixon Administration had asked for an increase of $8.5 million over 1973-74 funding levels.

The department's top officials are known to want considerably more emphasis placed on USDA research programs, especially as it completes the phasing-out of the crop pricesupport programs that cost more than $1 billion a year.

"Until recently," the senators wrote, "Americans have spent a relatively small portion of their income on groceries because of the steady increases in efficiency which farmers have achieved. That efficiency in large part is a result of the research performed by state universities and the Department of Agriculture."

The department and its Russian counterparts are scheduled to meet this spring on further implementation of an exchange agreement that includes a major provision on cooperative research.

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12. Misc. For Sale

Fireplace wood — Oak - Hickory. Nalls Wood Yard, Benton, Mo. 545-3201

Sweden Soft Service 48" Ice cream machine $500. 48" Four burner gas grill $100. Refrigerator $35. Call 471-4903 after 6:00

Living room furniture and 24" bicycle. 226 W. Murray Lane

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For Sale — Pair of beagles. Best offer. 471-0065

10,000 Gal. Tank
3 Elec. Gas Pumps
ROUTE Y SALES
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For Sale — 11x17 APECO Copying machine. Good condition. Some supplies. $900 or best offer. See Daily Standard. 205 S. New Madrid.

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Crowder, across from Cotton Gin. Auctioneer sale Sun. afternoon. Few antiques.

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250-300 Tractors will be at this sale.
Make plans now to attend one of the nations largest farm equipment auctions. We welcome you as a dealer or a farmer whether you are buying, selling or just visiting. We will have all sizes and makes of tractors. Including: J. D. 5020 4020 - 4010 - 3020 - 3010 - 4230 - 4030 Int. 1256 - 1206- 856 - 806 - 706 - 656 - Oliver 2655 - 1955 - 1950 -- 1855 - 1850 - 1800. Case 2470 - 1090 -1030- 930 - 830 - 730 - Versitile 145 M. F. 1130 - 1100 - 180.
OUR NEXT SALE WILL BE APRIL 2, 1974
We also have some good late model combines, plows, cultivators and disk.
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13. Real Estate

6 room house for sale or rent. 471-6548

For Sale — 3 bdr. home in Morehouse. 4 years old. $15,000. 667-5007

For Sale: 8 room house located 1 block from nice park, 2 blocks from school. After 1 p.m. 471-0124

New Brick home, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, central air, carpet throughout, large living room and utility built-ins on one acre at Mini Farms, $21,500. Phone 471-2162 Days. Nights 471-9295

For Sale:
3, Two bdrm. houses.
127 Marion
615 Gladys
837 Anderson.
471-9058

4 bedroom modern brick house. Full finished basement, fireplaces, intercom, 2½ baths. 2 car carport. 201 Kennedy. 471-5064

40-Acres, 4 Miles east of Wappapello Lake close to Blacktop Hwy. DENNY REALTY 222-3536

For Sale
Modern barber shop; good location, good lease, good business, will sell equipment. Priced to sell Inquire: Chuck's Barber Shop, 12 W. Stoddard Dexter, Mo. Phone 624-7967

For Sale — 132 Acres, 8 houses joins town of Risco, Mo. Several cattle farm. Malcolm Greenway 313 N 2nd St. Phone 763-7077. Blytheville, Ark.

1 to 5 ACRE MINI FARMS
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For Sale by Owner — 3 bedroom home in Charleston. Call 683-4401 for more information.

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$100 down buys any 10 acre lot, with liberal items.
Simple bank interest on balance only. Located on Hwy. 77 1 mile east of Benton Interchange.
Some of the below listed forms are available on cash rent basis.
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For Sale — 5 bedroom colonial style living room. Family room 2½ baths, utility room. dining room, central heat & air. 471-8659. 614 Dempster. $28,000

Attention Contractors
Acreage for sale near Sikeston, Mo. Jobe Real Estate. 471-8175 or 471-0687

240 acres only 7 miles west of Sikeston, approx 20 acres wheat already top dressed. Possession this year.

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85 Acres - North of Miner on Blacktop Road. Irrigated 2 wells, Irrigation equip. Modern homes.

131 Acres on blacktop road irrigated 4 wells.

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Benton
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16. Wanted To Buy

TO BUY OR SELL AVON. Write: Ann Brown, P. O. Box 686, Sikeston, Mo. 63801

Above acreage pay for good, experienced carpenter. Call after 5:00 p.m. 471-6133

Wanted
Qualified welder, steady work. Steam crane operator. Steady work. State age, qualifications Mail to Box 433, Cairo, Ill. 62914.

Waitress & car hop. Apply in person at Bulldog Cafe.

Experienced Mig Welders. Apply in Person. Caproco Inc. between 8-11:30 a.m.

WANTED
Experienced auto salesman. Only experienced salesmen need apply. 8:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 748-2512 or come by Glen Marshall Motors Highway 61 New Madrid GM Dealer

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Distributor - part or full time to supply Company established accounts with RCA- CBS-Disney Records. Income possibilities up to $1,000 per month with only $3,500 required for inventory and training. Call COLLECT for Mr. James (214) 661-9208.

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Winchester Rifles wanted
Any kind any condition. Write Box C.C. 100 Daily Standard

U.S. Silver Coins
1964 and before
Paying Highest Price
Paying 215% over face value for under $500 in coins. For every $100 in coins you receive $315 over $500. Call 335-0105 for price. AAA Coin Co.

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Wanted Mechanic- Immediate
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Needed to work Termite accounts. Hard work, but above average pay in our line of work. Will train. Apply Terminix International 1623 E. Malone. Equal Opportunity Employer

Wanted — Full time Doctors Assistant for office work to begin in 1 month, prefer L.P.N. or someone with previous doctors office or hospital experience. Interview by appointment. Contact Advance Medical Clinic Advance, Mo. Call 722-3559

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National - known company has worthwhile position open in Southeast Missouri area
Desire to hire a full-time salesman.
Man we are looking for must have good car, be bondable and have good references.
Bonuses — Company retirement plan, Group hospitalization, Can earn $10,000 to $14,000 first year, Qualified system to work, Leads.
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19 — CHILD CARE

Wanted to do babysitting in my home. Located in North end. Full play facilities. Experienced. Call 472-0602

20. Lost & Found

LOST
White Female Poodle in Town & Country Edition. Call 471-3179

21. Business Opportun.

For Sale
Growing Business - small down payment. Balance can be financed. P. O. Box CC100, % Daily Standard.

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Management Position can be yours after 6 months specialized training. Earn $15,000 - $35,000 a year in Management. We will send you to school for two weeks, expenses paid, train you in the field, selling and servicing established accounts. 21 or over, have car, bondable, ambitious and sports - minded. Hospitalization and Pension Plan. Call for appointment.
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26. Pets

For sale Pursbred white German Shepherd puppies. Make good companion dogs and excellent watchdogs. Contact Nancy Cummins Risco, Mo. or call 396-5527

Registered toy Pekingese, Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies. Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678

Male Cocker Spaniel available for breeding. Call 471-1881

28. New & Used Cars

1972 Chevy ½ ton pickup, full power & air. Like new. 471-9087

1966 Chevrolet pickup. ½ ton. Call after 5:00 p.m. 472-0896

1970 Ford 2 door sport roof, al power. 471-6450
1969 Grand Prix. Loaded. Call 471-6450

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1960 International truck. 16 foot grain bed with hoist. 1-785-6692.

For Sale — 1971 Vega, 26,000 actual miles. Excellent condition. See at 417 S. Kingshighway or call 471-4461 or 471-2939.

For Sale — 55 Chevy, 2 door hardtop, V8 engine, mag wheels. After 6 call 545-3301

For Sale — 66 Pontiac Fourdoor hardtop V08 engine. Call 471-2405 after 5:30

Bus for Sale. 1963 G.M.C. Good cond. Call 471-4403 or 471-5751

For Sale — 66 Mustang good motor, new tires. 471-6507, 471-5016

For Sale — 1972 Dodge Dart Demon V-8 automatic air & power. Good tires. Excellent cond. 30,000 miles, Call 471-4356 after 5 p.m.

1972 Chev. Caprice. 4 door, full power & air 12,000 actual miles. Like new. 471-9087

1969 Ford pickup, long bed V8 , air cond., clean, mechanical perfect. Call 733-4553

1963 w ton Chevy with hoist. Call 471-9068

Yamaha 75 cc, Fine condition, For more information, Call 471-3167

For Sale:
Two Volkswagen Beetles. See at 307 Virginia.
471- 4470

For Sale: 1957 Ford station wagon. New transmission. Great fishing or hunting car. $200. Phone 471-8058 after 5 or 471-3634 anytime

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30. Farm Supplies

Caterpillar tractors
1- 14A D- 8 Cat with following equipment. 85 bulldozer blade. Crossville tree cutter & rake. Kenneth Smith Cleaning and excavating. R 1 Alto Pass. 62905
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10 BROOD COWS
W/T TWO (2) CALVES
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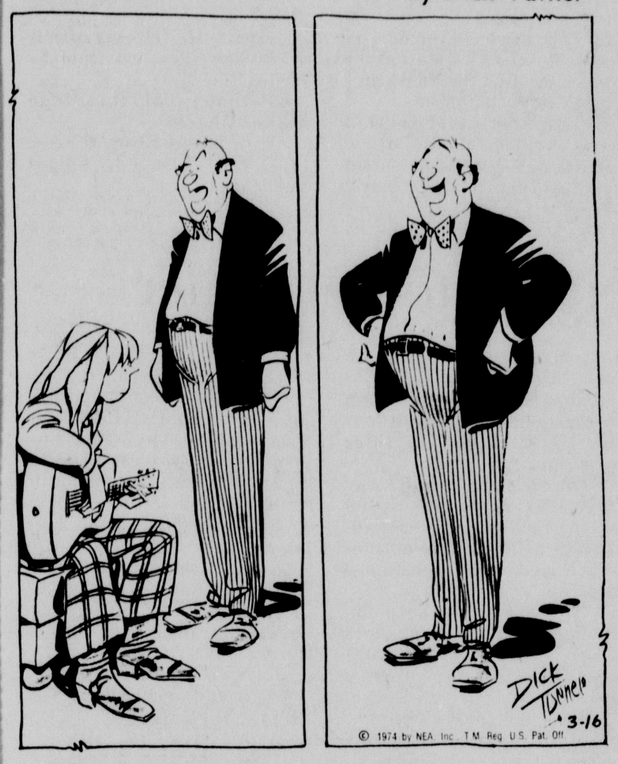
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"Don't bring up Watergate, Fred. The 'in' thing is to argue about who stayed in line the longest to buy gasoline!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Don't	31 Methods	61 Stakes	
2 Early	32 Freer	62 Some	
3 Speak	33 Your	63 Better	
4 Someone's	34 The	64 On	
5 You	35 Off	65 Should	
6 Dress	36 If	66 Attract	
7 Unexpected	37 Come	67 Basis	
8 Good	38 Eyes	68 Yourself	
9 Get	39 To	69 Aggressive	
10 Use	40 On	70 Charm	
11 You	41 Be	71 Efforts	
12 Starts	42 With	72 At	
13 Be	43 Can	73 Attention	
14 May	44 And	74 Living	
15 Up	45 And	75 And	
16 Got	46 Express	76 Conditions	
17 Family	47 Be	77 Indicated	
18 Soft-sell	48 Despite	78 Compliments	
19 Rebuffs	49 Apple	79 Someone's	
20 Up	50 The	80 For	
21 Feel	51 Accent	81 More	
22 News	52 More	82 Are	
23 Pay	53 Make	83 Vital	
24 Could	54 Work	84 The	
25 You're	55 Surprised	85 You	
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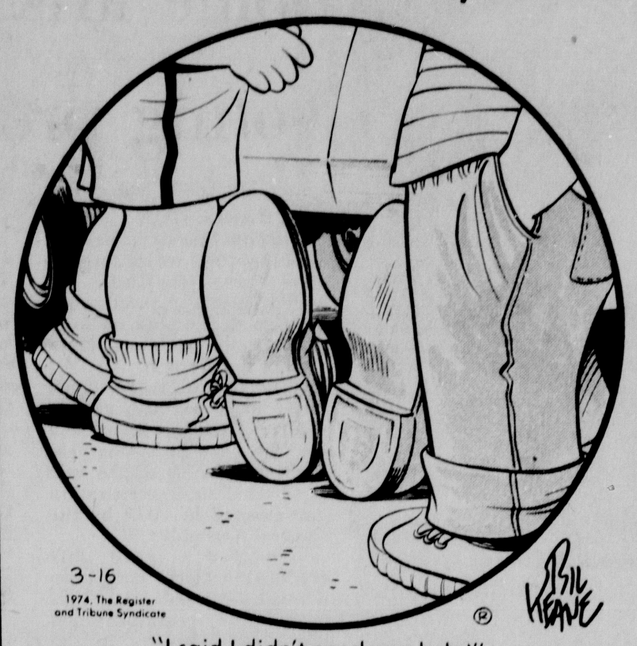
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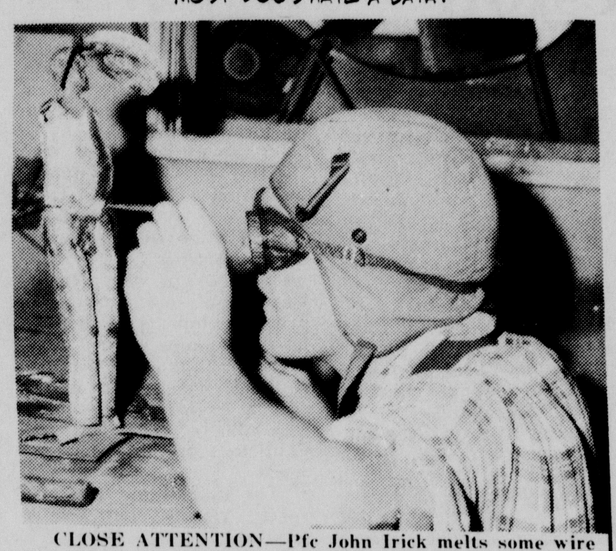
THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"I said I didn't need any help!"



"MOST DOGS HATE A BATH."



CLOSE ATTENTION—Pfc John Irick melts some wire into place with a welding unit to complete fine detail on a metal cowboy sculpture he is building. Private Irick, a member of the 163d Military Intelligence Battalion, Fort Hood, Tex., is also an instructor at the post's recreational services metalcraft shop in his off duty time. Irick hails from Albuquerque, N.M. (U.S. Army Photo by C. L. Perales)

Bulgaria

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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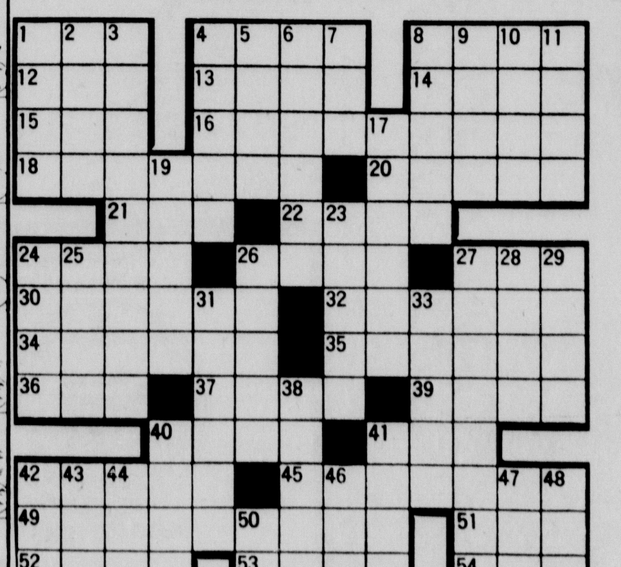
ACROSS

1 Bulgarian coin
4 Bulgarian farm product
8 Yugoslavia bounds it on the —
12 High card
13 Operatic solo
14 Martian (comb. form)
15 Mr.'s mate
16 Female ruminant (coll.; 2 wds.)
18 Catches, as on shirts
20 Trials
21 Anger
22 Newts
24 Napoleon's refuge
26 Employer
27 Obese
30 Extolled
32 Venetian island
34 Woodland deities (myth.)
35 Sofia is capital of this —
36 High card
37 Hostelries
39 Little demons
40 Molding
41 Certain railways (coll.)
42 Atmospheric disturbance
45 Exaltation
49 Army leader
51 Son of Gad (Bib.)
52 English composer
53 Ardor
54 Oriental coin
55 Black (Fr.)
56 Corded fabrics
57 Pedal digit

DOWN

1 Bulgarian farm animal
2 Unbleached
3 Narthex
4 Indian boat
5 Algerian seaport
6 Washes lightly
7 Feminine nickname
8 Pay
9 Greek god of love
10 Place to sit
11 Toddlers
17 Yttrium oxide
19 Most of its — is with the Soviet bloc
23 Flowerless plants
24 Feminine appellation
25 Secular
26 Italian community
27 Sleaziest
28 On top of
29 Heavy weights
31 Riddle
33 With one end raised
38 Sewing tool
40 Abalone
41 Merits
42 Scrutinize
43 Bull (Sp.)
44 All (comb. form)
46 Jump
47 Mountain (comb. form)
48 Number
50 Saul's uncle (Bib.)

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Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Saturday, March 16, the 75th day of 1974. There are 290 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1534, England under Henry VIII severed all relations with the papacy.

On this date:

In 1676, Indians destroyed the Rhode Island settlements of Warwick and Providence.

In 1751, the fourth American president, James Madison, was born in Port Conway, Va.

In 1802, Congress authorized the establishment of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

In 1945, Japanese resistance on the island of Iwo Jima came to an end after one of the bloodiest battles of the Pacific war.

In 1950, Congress voted to remove federal taxes on oleomargarine despite protests by dairy farmers.

Ten years ago, President Lyndon B. Johnson submitted to Congress a billion-dollar program he called a "war on poverty."

Five years ago, 155 lives were lost when a Venezuelan jetliner crashed into a suburb of Maracaibo, Venezuela, on takeoff.

One year ago, the United States and 13 major trading nations agreed on steps to try to end a monetary crisis due in part to excess dollars abroad.

Today's birthdays: Mrs. Richard Nixon is 62. Senate majority leader Mike Mansfield of Montana is 71. Comedian Jerry Lewis is 48.

Thought for today: Victory belongs to the most persevering. — Napoleon Bonaparte, 1769-1821.

Most coaches, players and rooters are convinced that basketball is America's most popular sport, the National Geographic Society says.

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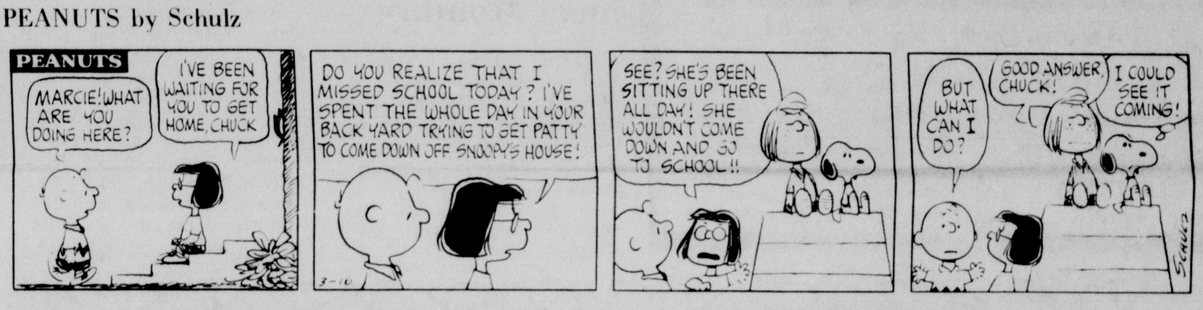
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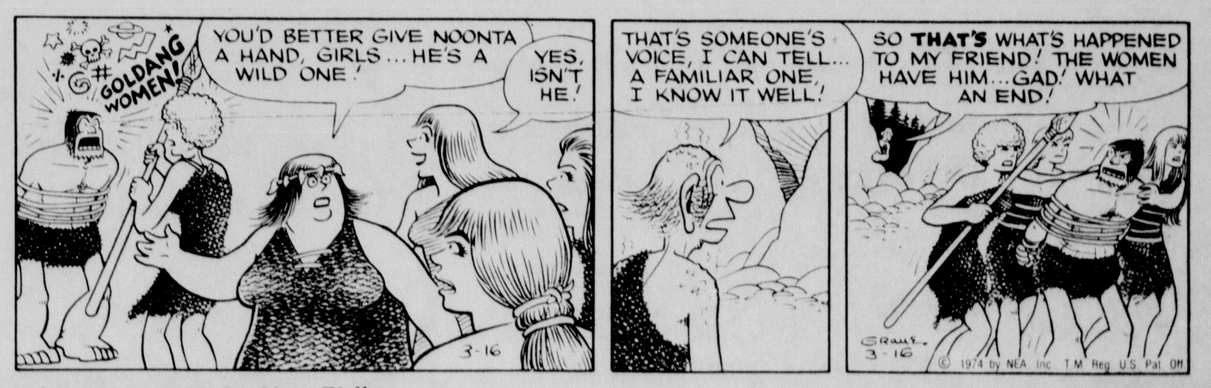
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Deaths

DAISY MYRTLE GILMER

MATTHEWS— Daisy Myrtle Gilmer, 93, died at 5:10 p.m. Friday in the Sells Rest Home in Matthews.

She was born March 4, 1882 in Mississippi She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Her body is at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid where arrangements are incomplete.

LEO CLIFFORD ROSE

SCOTT CITY-- Leo Clifford Rose, 73, died at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Cape La Croix Manor in Cape Girardeau.

Born June 7, 1900 at McLeansboro, Ill., he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rose. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

On Dec. 29, 1944 he married Miss Ida Rough, who survives.

Also surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Loucetria Gearing of Flint, Mich. three brothers, Roscoe and Floyd Rose of Flint and Gilbert Rose of St. Louis and eight grandchildren.

One son preceded him in death.

Friends may call after 12 noon today.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel in Illmo with the Rev. Don Kuehle, pastor of Broadway United Methodist Church of Scott City, officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter City Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Mike Rose, Glenn Beardslee, Glenn Jarrell, Jesse Coats, Mike Coats Harry Graves Joe Skinner and Skeet Hill.

FLORA MARIE MOORE

ILLMO-- Mrs. Flora Marie Moore, 50, died Friday in the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Born Feb. 5, 1924 at Dallas, Tex., she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Scott City and worked with the Head Start program, Cape Girardeau Historical Society Thrift Shop, the Well Baby Clinic and Cape Girardeau Civic Center. She was past president of the Parish Council of Catholic Women, serving two years and was secretary of St. Joseph mother's club, serving four years.

On July 5, 1941 she married Curtis Moore, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, John Moore of San Francisco, Calif. and Danny Moore of Kelso; two daughters, Mrs. Bill Daniels of Illmo and Ann Moore of the home one brother, Cecil A. Miller II of Miami, Fla. and seven grandchildren.

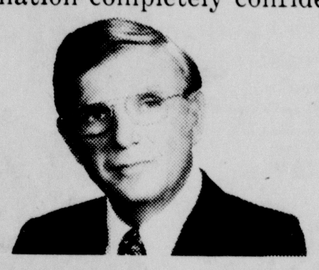
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ARTHUR G. TRIGG

Pallbearers at services scheduled at 2 p.m. today in First Church of The Nazarene for Arthur G. Trigg, 83, of 404 Fletcher St., who died Thursday, will be Homer Trigg Jr., Jack Norman, Tommy Trigg, Sonny Camp, Doug Marsh, Johnny Noel and Mike Trigg.

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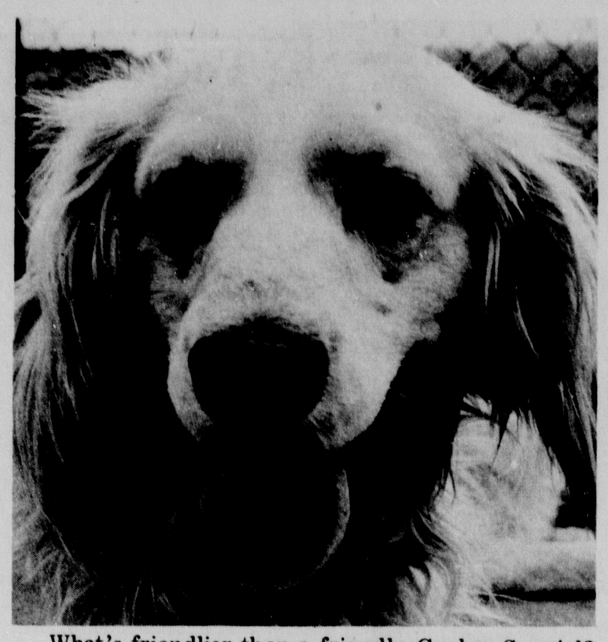
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against Pat Presnell.

Sheriff's service was returned unable to locate in this county in a civil action filed by Charter Finance Co. against Donald R. and Lillian R. Menken.



What's friendlier than a friendly Cocker Spaniel? Not much. This male spaniel is available for adoption at the city dog pound, along with several other dogs. Anyone interested in adopting a dog, contact Humane Officer Bob Beardsley at the police station or at his home after 5 p.m. or on weekends.

(Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

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final proposed revisions are to be presented for board approval at the April meeting.

A report on the possibility of the school district and the city making a joint effort to add recreational facilities on school property was given by Bill Brown, board member.

The 1927 graduation class was given permission to hold a class reunion in the high school commons on Aug. 27. A Parent- Teachers Association carnival has been scheduled for March 29 in the Bertrand Elementary school.

Some Mississippi County voting precincts changed

CHARLESTON –Some Mississippi County voters will find that their voting precints have been shuffled, and polling places changed when they go to the polls on April 2, according to County Clerk Arthur Lee Goodin.

The election is the annual city and school general election, which will be held for the first time this year under provisions of the new statewide voter registration law enacted in 1973 by the General Assembly.

Goodin said his registration clerks have been working hard to get everyone's registration card moved as necessary to the proper binder, so that the cards will be at the proper polling place next month.

"It would have been a whole lot simpler just to have everyone re -register," Goodin commented this week, "but we had to do it piecemeal, and there is a chance some cards will not be in the proper book."

In Charleston, voters who live in the city limits will vote in their usual precincts, (although some polling places have been changed) except that those who live in the Winchester Addition (east of 13th Street) have been moved from precinct 1A to ward 1B. Voters affected by the change have received new registration cards by mail, Goodin said.

Residents of the rural area of Tywappity Township formerly voted in the regular Charleston precincts, Goodin said, but have now been moved into a new "Charleston 5" precinct. They will vote at the Scout Cabin, he added.

At East Prairie, voters who live in the city limits will vote in two new precincts, Goodin said. East Prairie one is all the area north and west of the railroad tracks. East Prairie two is the area south and east of the tracks. Precinct one will use the fire station and precinct two the high school lobby as voting places.

East Prairie precinct three now includes all the area of St. James Township outside of East Prairie's city limits, except for voters who have been voting in the Anniston precinct, Goodin said.

Anniston, Wyatt and Bertrand precincts have not been changed, Goodin added

The complete list of precincts and their polling places is as follows:

Charleston 1- A, scout cabin; Charleston 1 -B, St. Henry gymnasium. Charleston 2, courthouse; Charleston 3, Armory; Charleston 4, Knights of Columbus Hall; and Charleston 5 (rural), scout cabin.

Bertrand, Bertrand School.

East Prairie 1, fire station; East Prairie 2, high school lobby; and East Prairie 3 (rural), Teen Town building.

Anniston, old Agriculture Building.

Wyatt, Raffety gin office.

Wilson City, community center.

Deventer, Mount Hope Baptist Church.

Wolf Island, Story Gin.

Dorena, Dorena school building.

Charleston man ordered to stay out of Siketson

Henry Lawrance of Charleston was fined $55 in City Court Thursday night and ordered to stay out of Sikeston for six months or be subject to five days in jail on charges of public intoxication and peace disturbance.

James Long, 210 S. Sixth St., was fined $20 for public intoxication and ordered to stay out of all bars for 60 days or face five days in jail.

Other fines levied Thursday included:

Jerry David McDowell of Charleston, careless and imprudent driving, $110; Orville Floyd Russell of Dexter, careless and imprudent driving, $15; Joseph Ray Byrum of Charleston, speeding, $19; William Dale Lewis, 521 Coleman St., speeding, $24; Pamela Hope Nimmo, 441 N. Ingram St., speeding, $19.

Jeanette Ann Clements, 111 Reuben St., speeding, $19; Johnnie Davis of New Madrid, public intoxication, $20; Dessa R. Fowler, 538 E. Kathleen Ave., speeding, $15; Steven Franklin Melton, Dunn Hotel, speeding, $32; John Frederick Baugher, 318 Edmondson Drive, speeding, $40; Ronald Dee Miller of Hammond, Ind., public intoxication; and Gary Donald Martin of Essex, peace disturbance, $35.

Cases dismissed included Zelburn Jackman of East Prairie, public intoxication, and Thomas A. Burdick, public intoxication.

Cases continued to March 21 included:

Gene Allen Dorris and Archie Michael Dorris, both 118 William St., peace disturbance; Howard Denton Cline, 209 Harry St., assault and battery; and Robert Farris Jr., assault and battery.

Edith Mary Adams, 231 N. Handy St., assault and battery; Willie Ray Staggs, 204 Bynum St., displaying a deadly weapon, Charles Lewis Abercombie, 1328 McDougal Ave., driving while intoxicated and Melvin C. Young, 1707 Kentucky Ave., driving while intoxicated.

A peace disturbance charge against Doyle Eugene Johnson, 816 Gulf St., was continued to March 28, and a careless and imprudent driving charge against Kenneth Wally Bridger, Box 929, was continued to April 11.

Police cadets to meet Monday

The Sikeston Police Cadets will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the Courtroom of the Sikeston police station.

Guest speaker will be Steve Taylor, assistant prosecuting attorney.

Anyone interested in joining the cadets may attend.

Still no sewer

Hayti Heights to get water

HAYTI HEIGHTS --Hayti Heights has done without basic services since incorporating one and a half years ago, but is now on the verge of getting at least one of its needs -water.

Mayor David Humes said Thursday he is optimistic that the town will have a $375,000 water system in operation by February.

The project will be funded by an Economic Development Administration grant.

A portion of the town's 1,200 residents have private water hookups with nearby Hayti, but most rely on private pumps. Some homes have no running water.

Even when the city is equipped with its own water pipeline network, however, it will still be dependent on Hayti to supply the water it needs.

The Heights also has no sewer system, "but that's something we're working on now," Humes said.

The Heights' new water system will be "plugged into the Hayti system at three locations.

The Heights' will pay Hayti 60 cents per 1,000 gallons of water received. Heights officials have not yet determined the customer rate.

"We will try to keep the water rate as low as possible ... it's just something we'll have to work out," Humes said.

Hayti will profit about a nickel for every thousand gallons of water it diverts to the Heights, Hayti Mayor Lee Roy Bain said.

Water treatment "is becoming more expensive all the time," Bain said.

"We're paying 60 per cent more for chlorine now, and lime has gone from $44 to $58 per ton in just a few months.

"We don't feel as though we're taking advantage . What we've talked about is fair."

The pipeline network also will mean an added measure of fire protection for the Heights ,which presently has no fire department.

Residents must pay a flat rate of $100 whenever a Hayti fire truck is called.

"The rate won't change probably," Bain said, "but at least with fire hydrants the people over there can depend on any fire truck we send not running out of water,"

The Heights also has taken the first step in acquiring sewer facilities, having applied to the state Clean Water Commission for "feasibility planning funds," Humes said.

A sewer system for the town would cost about $1 million, he estimates.

Acquiring a water treatment plant is a remote dream at this time, Humes said. " We'll have to be patient and take things a step at a time."

VOICE TRAVELS ON LIGHT BEAMS

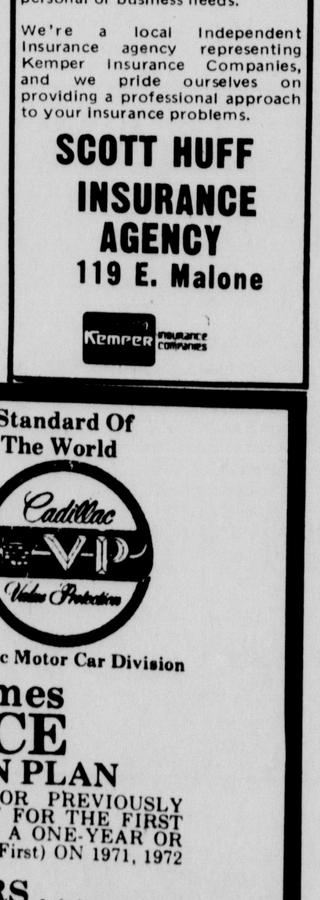
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Victoria Hunt, Caruthersville
Everett Taylor, Caruthersville
Harry Garner, Hayti
Irene Merrell, Hayti
Bobby Jones, Hayti
Virginia Webster Hayti
Lillian Devine, Hayti
Percy Ferry, Portageville
Billy Greggs, Portageville
Chester Bare, Cooter
Donna LaMar, Pascola
Released:
Ray Treece, Caruthersville
Dave Pierce, Caruthersville
Susie Pollock, Caruthersville
Robert Pierce, Caruthersville
Joe Davis, Caruthersville
Alma Frazho, Caruthersville
Lena McCutchen, Caruthersville
Margie Morgan, Caruthersville
Shelby Wilson, Hayti
Angela Householder, Hayti
Rufus Mosley, Steele
Sarah Burns, Steele
Coy Lewis, Steele
Evelyn Oats, Steele
Tennie Broughton, Portageville
Ethel Baskin, Portageville
Mamie Hooker Pascola
Ricky Helman, Kennett

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Ted Palmer, Dexter
Maud Ellsworth, Bloomfield
Mary Morris, Bloomfield
Eliza Reed, Malden
Released:
Brenda Jones, Malden
Gene Dalton, Piggott Ark.
Wanda McCormick, Morehouse
Ethel Lord, Dexter
Martha Kerley, Bloomfield
Gentry Thrower, Dexter
Minnie Rieffer Dexter
Patsy Slocum, Bloomfield
Patricia Kemp, Malden
John Goodman, Dexter
Kimberly Lane, dexter

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
Patricia Young, Oran
Delma Wagoner, Oran
Cressie Ramey, Cape Girardeau
Jodella Rowe, Benton
Paul Masters, Lutesville
Daisy Price, Advance
Sarah Guzman, Oran
Mary Payne, Chaffee
Released:
Mary Urhahn, Chaffee
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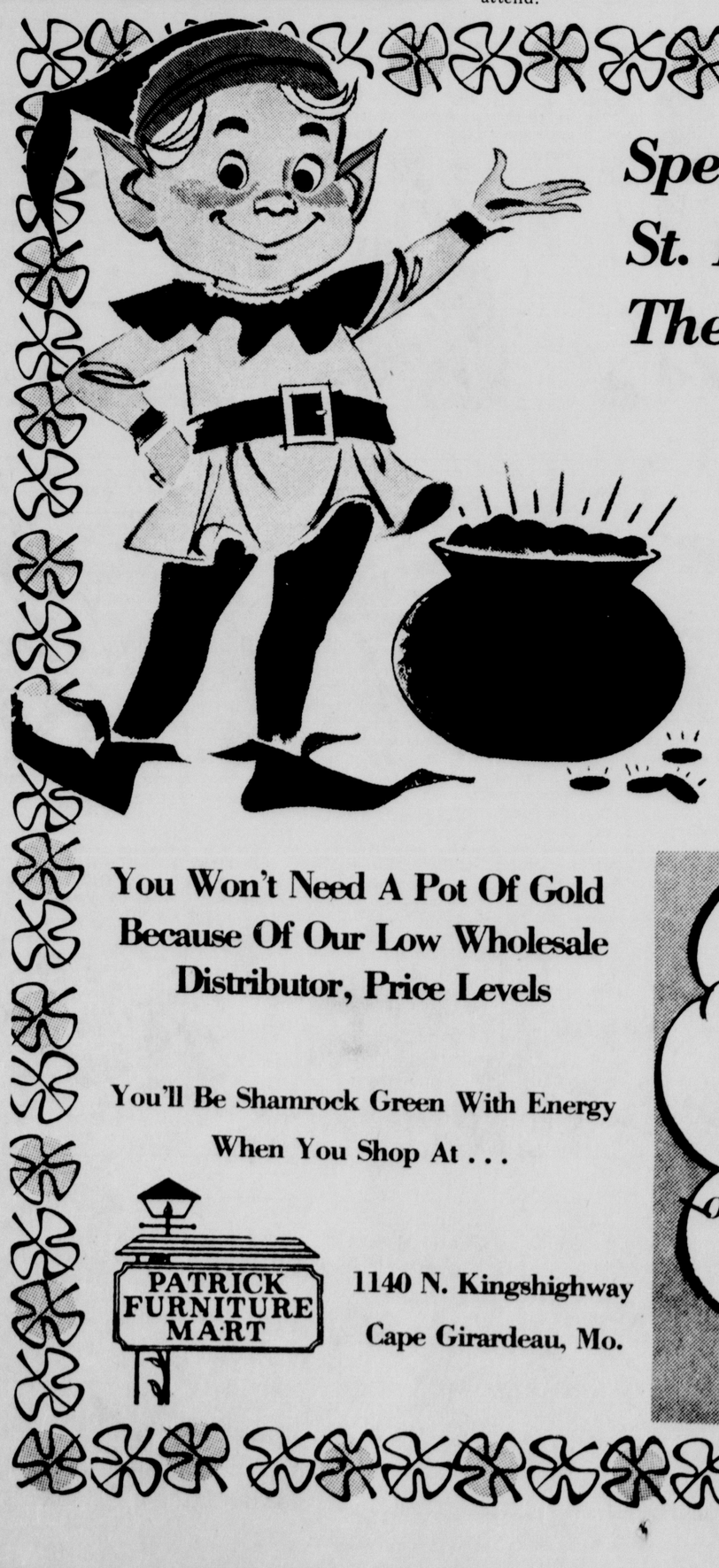
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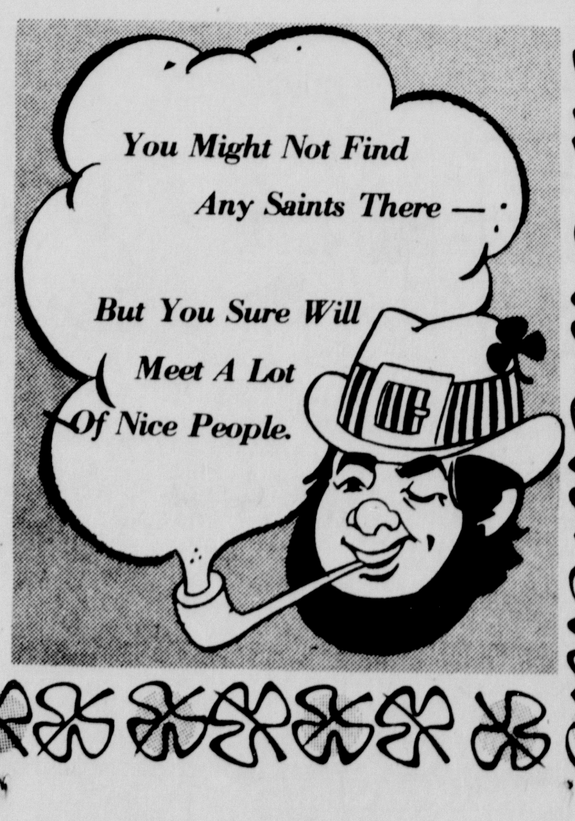
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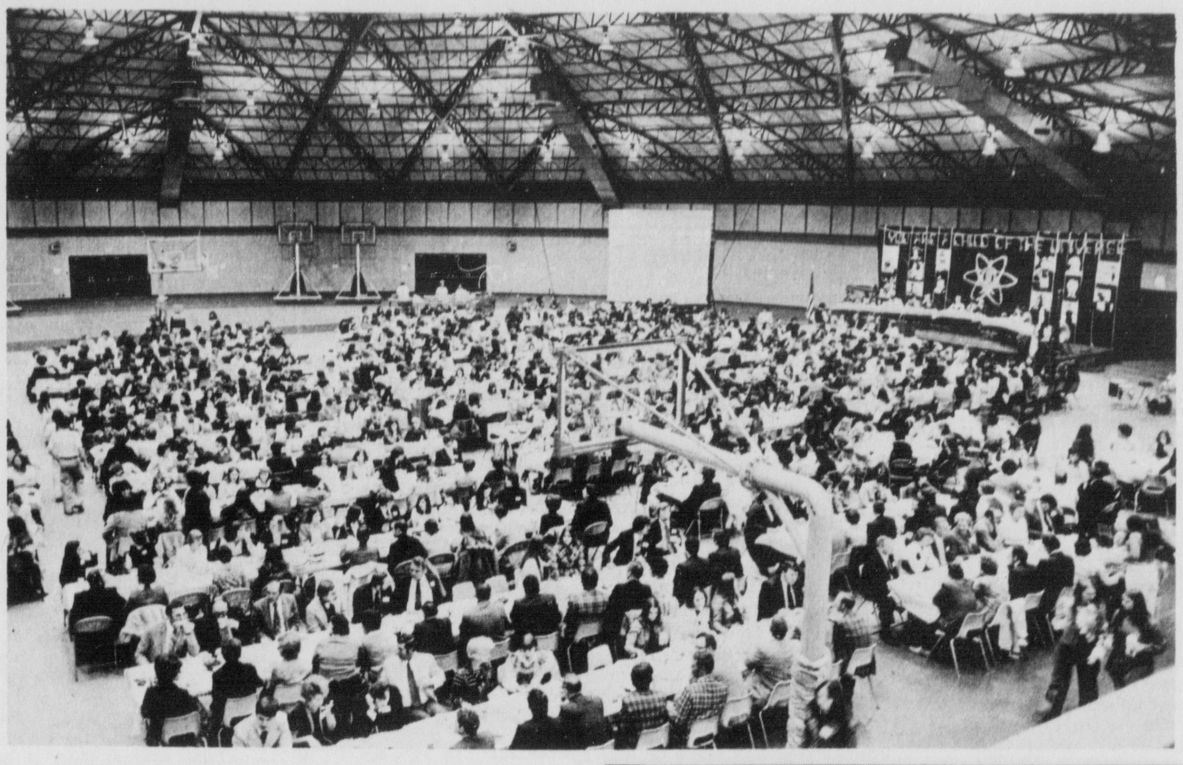
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Students hear wife of former governor

Over 1,000 students and adults (top photo) attended the banquet for the Missouri Association of Student Council Friday night at the high school field house. Mrs. Betty Hearnes (right photo), wife of former Governor Warren Hearnes, was guest speaker. She offered some observations on her past political life and told the students they should be interested in good citizenship.

– (Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)



Farmers promised all the fuel they need

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton talked Friday about setting up a hot line for the Missouri farmer who runs out of fuel for his machinery but was assured it already has what amounts to one.

The state director of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the executive assistant to Missouri's commissioner of agriculture, a man from the regional Federal Energy Office and spokesmen for two big farm organizations explained how the system has been set up.

"I'm pleased that we have something which promises to see that the farmer has the fuel he needs," Eagleton said after a round-table discussion which went on almost two hours.

Federal law provides that farmers shall get all the fuel they need for production.

Eagleton read from a note an assurance from James Newman, regional director of the Federal Energy Office, that meeting this demand would not cut into the amount of fuel available to other Missourians; but there was much head-shaking about the point.

From all sides came the plea that the most important thing for the farmer to do is advise his gasoline or diesel man how much fuel he will need month by month to plant, cultivate and harvest his crops and take care of his livestock this year.

Victor M. Gray, director of legislative affairs for the Missouri Farm Bureau, reported he had been at a meeting where fewer than half the farmers had done this.

Local distributors send the figures up the supply line to wholesalers, jobbers, refiners and producing companies. Missouri's Fuel Allocation Board and the Federal Energy Office are responsible for seeing that the producers and refiners get the gasoline and diesel fuel back down the line to the distributors.

Gene Cunningham, state ASCS director, reported people from its county offices all over the state will be in Columbia on Monday to study the system and learn how to help a farmer who runs out of fuel. The ASCS will be the first to turn to when they can't find a dealer who has it.

John Sanders, executive assistant to the state commissioner of agriculture, reported his department is having regional meetings around the state on March 25 and 27 at which farmers will be advised on how to report their fuel needs and get more if needed.

James Kirk, representing Newman, said the Federal Energy Office is going to have a mobile task force combing the state at harvest time to spot critical needs and require oil companies to meet them.

Missouri farmers are putting an additional 500,000 acres into crops this year. Sanders pointed out they do not have to justify requests for the necessary fuel unless they are going to use more than 20,000 gallons of gasoline or 20,000 gallons of diesel — enough for a big farming operation.

"We have asked them not to be greedy," Gray said. "We have suggested that they not ask for gasoline for production and then use it to take a vacation."

Eagleton opened the discussion by saying he and other Missouri members of Congress were besieged from spring through fall last year by farmers who complained they couldn't get fuel despite their 100 per cent priority.

The senator had a dozen such calls last week from southeast Missouri. Some of those in the conference said this probably was because farmers who were getting off to a fast start and hadn't ordered fuel soon enough.

Harvey Strothman and James Cunningham of the Missouri Farmers Association joined Gray in an estimate that farmers have more fuel stored on their places right now than ever before.

"Farmers are good managers, and they learned from last year," said Strothman. "A lot of them are calling their deliveryman when their tanks get down to half full."

School district receives grant

CHARLESTON-- The R-1 school district has received final approval for funding of a $3,920 grant under the Elementary Secondary Education Act Title II Program to be used for the purchase of library books and materials, according superintendent Charles Rorex.

The board of education voted Thursday night to participate in the National Defense Education Act Title III Program for this year.

An open house for discussion on the proposed 30- cent tax levy increase was set by the board for 7:30 p.m. March 26 in the high school commons. The board is asking voters to approve the 30- cent tax increase, which raises the present $3.60 levy to $3.90 per $100 assessed valuation, to offset deficient spending. One of the basic reasons for the increase is the need to increase teacher salaries.

Two board members are to be elected April 2. April 3 was set as special meeting date to canvas the elections results.

Deadline for accepting bids on flooring for the Hearnes Elementary School's multipurpose room was extended to April 2, the next regular board meeting. Only one bid was submitted prior to Thursday's meeting.

The board accepted the resignation of Timothy Lyles as a high school social studies teacher to be effective at the close of the school year.

Mike Back, administrative assistant, gave a report from the curriculum committee on possible curriculum provisions. The committee is to meet Monday and the

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Houchin seeks council seat

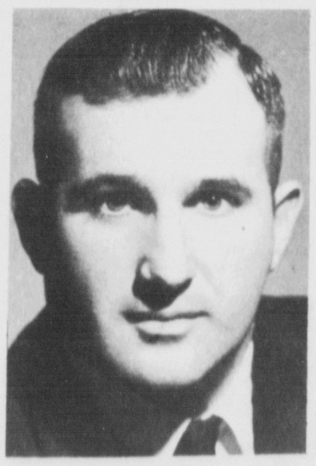
John Houchin today announces his candidacy for one of two seats on the Sikeston City Council to be filled in the April 2 city election.

Houchin has been a resident of Sikeston for more than 20 years and is the owner of Houchin's Do-Nut Shop. He is also engaged in the real estate business.

Houchin is an active member of the Wesley United Methodist Church where he serves on the church board.

He is married and the father of two children. The family home is at 1019 Davis Blvd.

Houchin says that if elected, he will devote his time to the progress of the city of Sikeston and spend the necessary time that it takes to look after the affairs of the office.



John Houchin

Butler is arraigned; posts bond

NEW MADRID — Dwight Butler, 30, of Malden, one of several Dunklin County men suspected in a burglary ring extending from New Madrid, Stoddard and Dunklin counties in Southeast Missouri into Tennessee and adjoining states, was arraigned in New Madrid County Magistrate Court Friday on a charge of possession of stolen property.

He is accused of having possession of 18 bushels of soybeans on March 2 which he allegedly knew had been stolen.

Butler was placed under $1,000 bond after requesting a preliminary hearing, which will be set at a later date.

Butler also faces charges in Stoddard County in connection with a Feb. 22 burglary at Shipman's Rebel Market in Bloomfield where a quantity of meats and merchandise valued at $2,000 were stolen.

Other cases resulting in fines:

Donald Clark, charged with petit larceny by theft of a battery on March 10 which was valued at $40 and belonged to Freeman Dill was fined $40, given 30 days in jail and put on 30 days probation.

Silas Evans drew a 60 - day jail sentence and a $45 fine on a charge of careless and imprudent driving no operator's license and improper registration. Denton Mills Inc. was levied a $25 fine on a charge of operating a vehicle without a copy of Missouri special fuel user's permit in truck.

Fines of $20 each were assessed against Johnny Leon Reams and Reta Joanne Grossman, charged with not having an operator's license.

Fined on speeding charges were James Henry Bartholomew, $28, and David Michael Saalwaechter, $20. Bill Daley Rohrer forfeited a $100 bond on a speeding charge.

Ozburn- Abston and Co. was awarded $208.19 judgment in a civil suit

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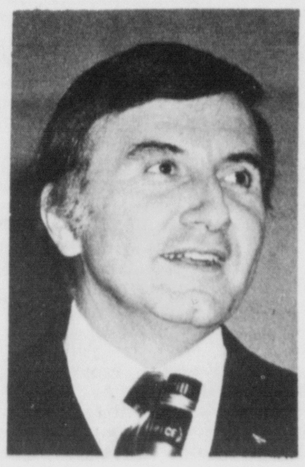
Haggai to speak at BPW banquet

Dr. Tom Haggai of High Point, N. C., a syndicated radio evangelist, will be the featured speaker March 27 at Sikeston's Woman of the Year banquet, sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, at 7 p.m. at the Country Club.

In addition to his heavy nationwide schedule of speaking engagements, Dr. Haggai is heard daily from coast to coast on the syndicated radio program, "Values for Better Living".

He was born in Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1931 of Syrain- English heritage. He preached his first sermon at the age of 12, then lettered in athletics at North Greenville Junior College and won the McMillan Medal for oratory at Furman University in Greenville, S. C.

Mrs. Gene Holland is chairman of the Woman of the Year banquet for the Business and Professional Women's Club. This is the



Tom Haggai

15th year the club has sponsored a woman of the year program for Sikeston.

Tickets for the banquet may be purchased from Mrs. Mary Ellison.

Thieves enter Advance firms

ADVANCE-- Two break-ins which occured sometime Thursday night are under investigation by the Stoddard County Sheriff's department.

Sheriff Ralph Mouser said Friday that a rear window of the Southeast Co- op located near Advance was broken allowing entry to the building. Mouser said nothing was taken, but the premises were ransacked and he thinks the thieves were searching for money.

In another break- in at the Rhodes service station in Advance thieves took approximately $5 in change. A rear window was broken to gain entry. Both break- ins were reported early Friday.

Firemen make 2 Friday runs

Firemen made two runs Friday.

The first call was received at 6:33 p.m. to the Mary Romines residence, 835 Matthews, when an electrical wire shorted out.

Firemen said there was no fire.

The second call came at 8:32 p.m. when a plastic toy caught fire in the furnace of Marvin Hill's home, 812 Mary St.

No damage was done to the home.

City electric use high, cost low

Sikeston homes used an average of $168 worth of electricity in 1973, according to figures released today by the Sikeston light and water office.

The average house used 9,129 kilowatt hours of electricity during the year.

The power cost the average home owner 1.84 cents per kilowatt hour, compared to a national average of 2.36 cents.

The national average use was 8,170 kilowatt hours at a cost of $193.00 per home.

Grand jury to probe Morris campaign funds

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Subpoenas issued by the government indicate a federal grand jury is going to delve next week into how William S. Morris financed his unsuccessful campaign for governor of Missouri two years ago.

Also bidden to appear before the grand jury next Tuesday or Wednesday besides the former lieutenant governor was Delton Houtchens, former Democratic state chairman.

A subpoena issued to Pat O'Neill, a Kansas City public relations man, directed him to bring all the records he has about a "Bill Morris Appreciation Dinner," and a bank account under that name.

Morris is a Kansas City lawyer and served as lieutenant governor in the second term of Gov. Warren E. Hearnes before running in 1972. He was beaten in the Democratic primary by Edward Dowd of St. Louis. Dowd was defeated by Republican Christopher Bond.

Houtchens is a lawyer at Clinton, Mo., and a longtime political ally of Hearnes.

The grand jury already has heard testimony about a relationship between Clinton Enterprises Inc., a public relations agency operated by Houtchens, and an Indiana firm which won a contract in 1972 to make plasticized drivers licenses for the state.

Houtchens and Keith E. Kreissler, a certified public accountant at Clinton, were directed to bring all their records on Clinton Enterprises Inc., including a list of stockholders and the sources and amounts of its income.

Subpoenas also were issued for George W. Burruss and Howard J. Turnbull of Jefferson City, both former employes in the driver's license division of the state Department of Revenue.

The account for the Bill Morris Appreciation Dinner was at the Civic Plaza National Bank in Kansas City, and some more of that bank's records were demanded in another set of subpoenas.

They involve the Regular Democrats, a factional organization which operated in Kansas City in 1970 and 1971.

Harold E. Hall, a construction company executive; Norman Sanders, a Kansas City lawyer, and several officers of the bank were directed to produce records on a $30,525 loan made in 1970 to the Regular Democrats and how it was paid off.

The note was signed on behalf of the Regular Democrats by Lawrence F. Gepford, a former Jackson County prosecuting attorney who now is in private practice in Kansas City.

Paul Anthony White, the assistant U.S. district attorney who issued the subpoenas, declined to discuss them.

Sumpter arraigned on murder charge

IRONTON, Mo. (AP) — David Lee Sumpter, 23, was arraigned on a first degree murder charge Friday in the shooting death of a fellow townsman from Sullivan, Mo.

Sumpter was held in the county jail in lieu of $25,000 bond, and his preliminary hearing was set for March 25.

Sumpter is accused of killing James Lewis Roberts Thursday as they cruised through the country near Ironton in a pickup truck.

The sheriff's office quoted Sumpter as saying Roberts threatened to shoot him; that Sumpter first thought it was a joke, but later grabbed the pistol which Roberts had been handling and shot him.

Sumpter was arrested several hours later at a roadblock near Jewett, east of Ironton and in the adjoining southeast Missouri county. Officers said in his flight Sumpter briefly abducted one teen-age girl after colliding with her family's car and tried to abduct another. The first girl was cut and scratched when she jumped from the moving truck.

Man charged with tampering

CHARLESTON-- A charge of tampering with a motor vehicle was filed Friday afternoon against Lee Childress, 51, of Diehlstadt, who was arrested Thursday afternoon.

Childress allegedly drove off in a 1973 pickup truck, owned by H. L. (Guss) Heckman of Charleston. The truck was parked in front of the Budweiser Cafe on West Commercial St. about 4:30 p.m. Thursday.

The truck was recovered about an hour later near Snow's Corner on highway 60. Reportedly Childress was intoxicated and was still in the truck when it was found.

Childress remains in the Mississippi County jail in lieu of $1,500 bond.

It's inside. . .

High feed costs are holding back hog production, say Agriculture economists. For farm news turn to...pages 6 and 7.

Widow asks where friends were when husband was alive. For society news turn to...page 4.

A suit has been filed in Charleston Circuit Court to overturn school policies. Turn to...page 3.

. . . and outside

Partly sunny today. Cool with high in the 40s. Clear to partly cloudy and cold tonight with low in the 20s. Sunday considerable sunshine with high in the 50s.

The high Friday was 55.

Sunset today ..... 7:06 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow...7:07 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow3:24 a.m.
New Moon.....March 23
The planet Mercury now rises in the morning twilight and is soon followed by brighter Jupiter. In another week, Jupiter will be rising before Mercury.



Driver seriously hurt

Virgil Andrew Stock, 24, of East Prairie received serious injuries at 3:30 p.m. Friday after he failed to stop at a stop sign and struck a dirt embankment on Highway 62, one- half mile east of Miner. (Daily Standard photos by Ron Porter)

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Saturday, March 16 — 1874, Miners strike in Pennsylvania. Demand to be served beer in public places.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man's strength develops when he has something to do, not when he is idle.

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There is considerable dissatisfaction with the school administration and the school board on the way they handled the Danny Kersey accident, if you want to call it an accident, that is not what I hear, and that is not what the children tell me and also they tell their parents. The youngster was picked up and thrown down on the floor by one of the bigger boys, if that is right then the school officials did a damn poor job of figuring it out. Why didn't they call all of the children in that were out there or in the gym at the time it took place. It is funny to me, of course, I know it was handled the quickest way to hush it up but that still didn't keep it from being poor business.

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Before waiting for your ship to come in, check to see if it ever left drydock.

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ANOTHER EXTINCT SPECIES?

Passenger railroad service began in the United States in the early 1830s, when the "Best Friend of Charleston" huffed and puffed onto the stage of history. Within 75 years, it was a small hamlet indeed that could not be reached by rail.

Such is the sad state of decay into which the passenger train has fallen since then. Today, however, nearly a century and a half later, a publisher of travel books has found it necessary to answer such questions as, "What is it like to travel by rail?" "How do you make reservations?" ' What is a roomette?" "What is a lounge car?"

The questions are answered in "Baxter's USA Train Travel Guide," subtitled, "How to Travel by Train and See the USA and Canada," which is available at major bookstores.

For the person who has seen pictures of railroad trains and has always been curious about them or the person who has heard of Amtrak but has not been quite sure just what it was or whether it really existed, and for the adventurous in spirit (or the gasoline - poor), Baxter's guide may be just the ticket.

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Walk toward a big mirror, and ten to one you will remark that you have a more awkward gait than you imagined.

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The larger the town, the older the women are before they quit dancing. Tell us a town in which the women quit at 40, and we will tell you how large the town is.

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U. S. News & World Report comments that a White House insider asserts that tape recordings made covertly during the Kennedy and Johnson Administrations contain material that would "destroy many important reputations" if made public. The source says the Nixon Administration has the tapes in hand but has no intention of making them public.

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According to a publication of The American Mutual Insurance Alliance: "Engineers with Southwest Research Institute have discovered a new way to make money talk. They have developed a device to enable blind people to distinguish currency of different denominatins. A light wand and a phototransistor are used to scan the light reflected from design patterns appearing on paper bills. Variations in light and dark patterns are translated into sound waves and the oscillating tones allow easy recognition of the denominations. For example, the rapid pace of the blips from a one-dollar bill are quite different from the more regular waves which result from scanning a $20 bill. The scanner system was developed under sponsorship of NASA's Biomedical Applications program, following a request by a rehabilitation center for something to aid blind and nearly blind operators of news stands and lunch counters."

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The average person dislikes to give praise, even when it is deserved. A Sikeston woman related that she told ten people in succession of the good traits of another that nine disagreed with her, and the tenth expressed ignorance and indifference.

H. L. Hunt

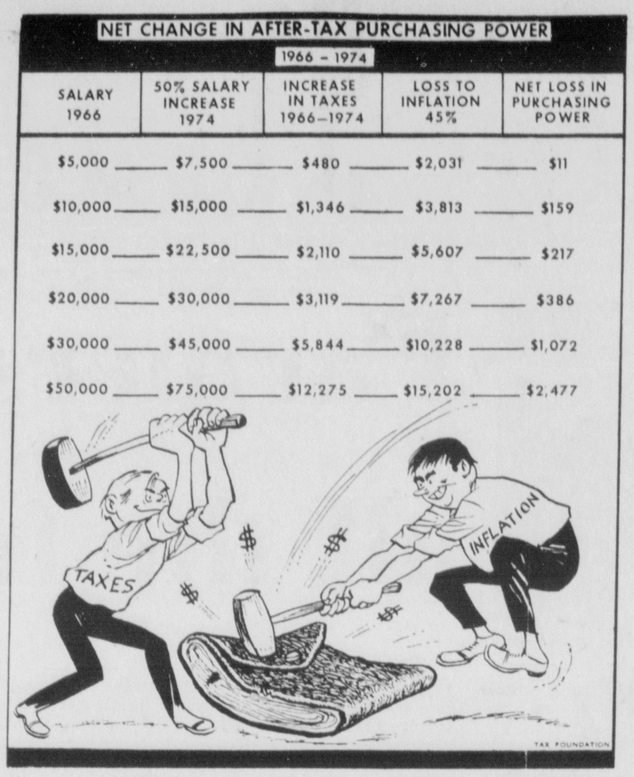
STORY OF THE LAWYERS

The national scandals that have darkened our horizons have, unfortunately, produced a cynical attitude toward politicians in general. Another segment of our nation is also feeling the scorn of the multitudes. It is the legal profession as a whole. This is the same mob psychology that developed in the wake of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy in Dallas where an entire community was libeled despite the quick apprehension of the man who pulled the fatal trigger.

It is true that a handful of lawyers have been caught up with their clients in the Washington, D.C. intrigue, and elsewhere. But it should be remembered that it was the diligence of the legal fraternity and the courts that protected the Constitution and the statutes and ferreted out the suspects for prosecution. Many of the attorneys working the scandal cases have taken large reductions in income while performing their patriotic services.

The court system of this nation is no better than the officers of the court. Those officers are the working attorneys who prosecute and defend. Without them, there would be no system of justice. The bar associations polices the legal profession and summary action has already been taken against several lawyers implicated in the scandalous intrigues.

The law is not an exact science but it is a good one. Its practitioners comprise majorities in most of our legislative bodies and are drafting most of our local, state and federal laws. When they prove bad, the lawyers rewrite them. The laws they and their predecessors wrote to helped put on the books as elected officials raise us above the law of the jungle. That's a statement all nations of the world cannot make. HLH



Taxes and inflation work hand in glove to give incomes a beating. The chart above shows how they can knock down even a hefty 50-percent increase in income in the past eight years. Tax Foundation, Inc. based the figures on a four-member family with one breadwinner, and pay raises totaling 50 percent since 1966.

TOMORROW

MARCH 17 — SUNDAY

ART WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To focus attention on Art and the artists and their achievements in society. Sponsor: Richard R. Falk Associates, 220 W. 42nd St., New York N. Y. 10036.

BIRKEBEINER SKI RACE. Mar 17. Lillehammer, Norway. Historic ski race with massed start by hundreds of competitors, racing from Lillehammer to Rena (50 km) via ancient Viking route. Commemorates famous rescue of king's son, in 1206.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS BIRTHDAY WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To celebrate the 64th birthday of the organization. Sponsor: Camp Fire Girls, Inc. Dept. of Communications, 1740 Broadway, New York, Ny. Y. 10019.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS FOUNDERS DAY. Mar. 17. Purpose: To commemorate the founding of the Camp Fire Girls and the value of the service given to girls across the nation. Sponsor: Camp Fire Girls, Inc., Dept. of Communications, 1740 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10019

DESOTO CELEBRATION, INC. Mar 17-24. Purpose: To entertain the many winter visitors to the fun and sun of this popular beach community. Re-enactment of historic landing of Hernando de Soto in 1539. Sponsor: Hernando De Soto Historical Society, Inc., Mrs. C. W. Dowell, Exedc. Secy., 809 14th St., W. Bradenton, Fla. 33505.

EVACUATION DAY. Mar. 17. Suffolk County, Massachusetts.

INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURAL FAIR. Mar 17-24. Verona, Italy.

IRELAND: NATIONAL HOLIDAY. Mar 17. St. Patrick's Day, the highlight of a week of festivitiy celebrating Ireland's national holiday.

NATIONAL OPEN CHESS TOURNAMENT. Mar 17-22. Info from: United States Chess Federation, 479 Broadway, Newburgh, NY 12550.

NATIONAL POISON PREVENTION WEEK. Mar 17-23. By Presidential proclamation. (Issued annually for third week of March).

NATIONAL POSION PREVENTION WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To aid in encouraging the American people to learn of the dangers of accidental poisoning and to take preventive measures. Sponsor: Natl. Planning Council for Poison Prevention Week, Geog S. Maisel, Secy., P. O. Box 1543, Washington, D. C. 20024.

NATIONAL SALESMEN'S WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To honor the motive power that makes America tick - her Sales Force. Sponsor: Earle Burnett Co., Earle M. Burnett, Sr., Founder, P. O. Box 80035, Lincoln, Neb. 68501.

NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK. Mar 17-23. Purpose: To encourage people to go outdoors and enjoy the beauty and freedom of wildlife. Sponsor: Natl. Wildlife Federation, 1412 16th St., N. W. Washington, D. C. 20036.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY. Mar 17. Commemorates the patron saint of Ireland, Bishop Patrick who in 432 A. D. left his home in the Severn Valley, England, and introduced Christianity into Ireland.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE. Mar. 17. Philadelphia, Pa. Info. from: The Philadelphia Conv. & Tourists Bureau, 1525 John F. Kennedy Blvd., Philadelphia, Pa. 19102.

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MARCH 18 — MONDAY

GROVER CLEVELAND'S BIRTHDAY. Mar 18. 22nd and 24th President of the U. S. born this day in 1837. (Mar 18, 1837 - June 24, 1908).

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MORE THAN WATERGATE HAS IMPACT ON SPECIAL ELECTIONS

Just when the Democrats were rolling up a string of victories in special congressional elections they hit that phenomenon known as the California voter. The result is a Republican congressman-elect from the Santa Barbara area and the Democratic realization that Watergate, at least in Southern California on Tuesday, wasn't the magic word.

Robert J. Lagomarsino, the winner, stood on his record of 13 years in the California Legislature and contended that Watergate and President Nixon were not issues. A similar position was taken by the Republican candidate, also a veteran state legislator, in the Michigan election for Vice-President Ford's former congressional seat last month. Michigan voters rejected the arguments but Californians accepted it.

His seven Democratic opponents, who might have been part of the Democratic problem, harped on Watergate. By piling up 53 per cent of the vote — in a district with a Democratic majority that has sent a Republican to Congress for years — Loagomarsino won the election outright and avoided a runoff next month. His state legislative record includes strict law enforcement bills and a rigid position on environmental protection. He opposed renewed oil drilling in the Santa Barbara channel. Perhaps oil ran thicker than Watergate.

Voters in Tuesday's Ohio election appeared more responsive to the Watergate - Nixon syndrome, although it was not as clear-cut an issue as in the Michigan election. The Democratic winner, Thomas A. Luken, took a strong stand against abortion. The Republican, Willis Gradison, said he opposed abortion but stopped short of pledging support for a proposed constitutional amendment that would overturn a Supreme Court abortion decision.

The Ohio Democratic victory continued the anti-Republican trend that developed in Pennsylvania and Michigan last month. Democrats had won the district in and around Cincinnati only three times in this century and all occurred in presidential landslides the last one in 1964. William J. Keating, a Republican who resigned to become a Cincinnati newspaper executive, won 70 per cent of the vote in the district in 1972.

Both candidates have served as mayor and as members of the Cincinnati council. Gradison, who is expected to run again in the regular election, maintained that the President was not an issue, while criticizing Mr. Nixon's handling of Watergate. Both parties sent in nationally known leaders; labor made a major effort on behalf of Luken.

Tuesday's elections didn't simplify Republican strategy. The plan to stay on middle ground in the Watergate scandal, thus avoiding alienation of pro-Nixon zealots, seemed successful in one place and a failure in another. With impeachment proceedings astir, the problem is not likely to ease.

The Kansas City Star

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From a church bulletin: "Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a good chance to get rid of things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husband!"

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REJECT EXPORT CONTROLS, SAYS FARM BUREAU

The American Farm Bureau Federation has urged the Senate Banking Committee to reject legislative proposals to authorize the Administration to control exports of agricultural commodities.

Clifford G. McIntire, AFBF legislative director, and Donald E. Hirsch, assistant legislative director, said "the imposition of export controls on certain agricultural commodities earlier this year was a disastrous mistake.

"The long- run result is likely to be a loss of some hard- won markets due to shattered faith — on the part of foreign buyers confronted by broken sales contracts — in the dependability of the U.S. as a source of supplies. Furthermore, the effectiveness of U.S. representatives in upcoming trade negotiations has been reduced. It will be harder to persuade foreign countries to lower their barriers to imports of our commodities," the Farm Bureau spokesman said.

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Pan Am advertises its two daily flights through New Delhi as The Delhi Double.

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Worried about burglars getting into your house? Make it impossible. Give the windows a fresh coat of paint.

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LOWERING OUR LIVING STANDARDS

Figures on declining productivity and trade deficits are difficult for the average person to associate with the welfare of the average American worker and his family. However, the connection should be easier to grasp if the figures are translated into more understandable terms -- such as production of major manufactured products for world markets.

America has been traditionally a leader in the production of automobiles. In 1950, our share of world output of autos was 76 percent. In 1970, this had declined to 33 percent. By the same token, our share of world steel production dropped from 47 percent to 20 percent in the same period. Last year, nine out of ten radios were imported and one out of six new cars. An economist for a large West Coast bank puts the meaning of declining productivity in equally specific terms. "Internationally", he says, "low productivity places our goods at a competitive disadvantage; consequently, imports increase and exports decline and the American dollar that has served for so long as the international reserve asset is weakened. Internally, low productivity means fewer goods and services and inflation if wage increases are in excess of our productivity. This situation ... has been prevalent in our economy for the past several years."

As time goes on, low productivity and trade deficits will exact their tolls of jobs, living standards and the opportunities of those coming out of schools and colleges in future years.

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Running uphill and running down people are both bad for the heart.

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V-BELTS ARE POWER BEHIND MODERN LIFE

Modern life styles are powered, probably much more than you realized, by things called V-belts.

Both home and industry depend on V-shaped belts, mostly made of rubber, to transmit power to dozens of devices that help make life easier. The belts derive their name from their V shape that permits tight wedging of the belt, under tension, into V-shaped grooves of sheaves attached to spinning motor shafts. Some belts travel at speeds of up to 10,000 feet a minute — that's about 120 miles an hour — in small enclosed areas.

V-belts, says John A. McKay, B. F. Goodrich marketing vice president for industrial products, make possible many labor- saving devices in the home. It was his company that pioneered the development, in the early 1920's, of belts that helped revolutionize the ways and economics of power transmission for industry. Until then, power transmission was done either through direct-drive machinery or by use of leather transmission belts operating from a central shaft.

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DEFENSE. Comments by a Senator and Representative on rising defense costs brought out these items, according to the Congressional Record: in the 1974 budget, defense manpower costs, $43.9 billion, will represent 56 per cent of the Department's $79 billion budget total. Military personnel payroll costs will represent 31 per cent of the total — but civilian payroll costs will be 17 per cent, and retired pay and family housing costs, will represent about 8 per cent. In fiscal 1973, the cost of the military retirement system is estimated at $4.4 billion; by the year 2000 it will hit $25 billion.

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SATELLITES AT SEA

Maritime communication with vessels at sea has, since the early days of the "wireless" been conducted via Morse Code. Modern, high-technology vessels today need something better.

The American Institute of Merchant Shipping, the Maritime Administration and NASA are working closely together to further maritime satellite programs that deal with concepts which are revolutionary to marine navigation and communication. AIMS has also issued a report entitled, "The Evolution of the Maritime Satellite." It notes that, "Greatly improved means of operating telecommunication functions aboard a vessel would provide for more advantageous scheduling, and collision - avoidance techniques to name just a few uses. The need for modernized, trustworthy NAV/COM systems is a must in today's marine environment ... The satellite concept would enable fast, minimum delay, error free communication ship to shore and ship to ship."

At first glance, the technical problesm of updating the communication and navigation capabilities of merchant ships would seem far removed from the interests of shippers and the public -- such is decidedly not the case. Technological breakthroughs and innovations that add to the efficiency of merchant ship operations are reflected in improved service, lowered costs and greater utilization of the merchant fleet. Benefits such as these flow directly to industries, jobholders and consumers. They can be measured in terms of smoother, safer and more reliable movement of commerce. They mean taking maximum advantage of every new merchant ship that slides down the ways to take its place as part of America's new maritime muscle.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Teamsters Critical Hours: Hoffa Moving Fast; FBI Probes Him-- Fitz Takes Precedent 1974 Pay Action

WASHINGTON-- This is a tale of three Teamsters presidents. Each has made, is making or will make headlines matching anything short of war, peace and Watergate.

Ex- Brotherhood president, ex- convict octogenarian Dave Beck, who had a bat- and- bag obsession which disturbed the Internal Revenue Service, has asked for a presidential pardon. The FBI is reinvestigating his successor ex-president Jimmy Hoffa. And his successor Frank (Fitz) Fitzsimmons, having reopened the huge 1973 Teamsters National Master Freight Agreement, will set a significant 1974 precedent with tough new energy-related demands for higher wages for hundreds of thousands of over-the- road truck drivers.

For millionaire Dave Beck it's an ego trip. He wants to meet his maker as an honest man officially-- forgiven by society.

For millionaire Jimmy Hoffa, today's target is recapture of the world's largest union-- and tomorrow the industrial world. On Feb. 8, this bantam 61- year- old push-up champ filed with the U. S. pardon attorney, Lawrence Traylor, a petition seeking release from President Nixon's restrictive clemency which bans him from direct or indirect labor activity until March 6, 1980.

The petition, forwarded by his lawyers, son James Hoffa and Ellsberg's attorney Leonard Boudin of New York, claimed he is being denied his constitutional right of pursuing the business he knows best-- labor leadership.

Since then Jimmy Hoffa has discovered he is the equal of all others-- but not more equal. The pardon attorney must take everything in sequence. When Hoffa's turn came up, his petition was accorded its full rights. This means full investigation to determine what Hoffa deserves. What sort of a citizen has he been since his release from Lewisburg Penitentiary Dec. 23, 1971? With whom has he consorted? What has he done or not done? What businesses has he pursued?

Did he or did he not covertly violate the President's commutation restrictions? Since the pardon attorney has no staff for such investigations, the FBI does the probing. And is, indeed. The entire nation will be covered. Each speech Hoffa has made will be scanned. Every section of the land will be scoured. The fact that he's wealthy, that his wife still is on the Teamsters payroll for $49,000 annually and his son is retained by the Teamsters all have a bearing, I'm told.

The FBI may yet discover that Hoffa has been, or is, directly or indirectly involved in labor activities.

If so, he may well land in prison instead of in the office of the presidency of Detroit truck drivers' Local 299 which he hopes to use as his launching pad for capturing the general presidency in 1976.

Hoffa must go the route. He must exhaust his administrative procedures before going into the federal courts for relief from the presidential restrictions and to force full clemency. If there is court action, Hoffa plans to subpoena John Mitchell, John Dean and Chuck Colson.

Thus he must wait for the FBI to report to the pardon attorney. The latter must analyze all material available and pass on recommendations to Atty. Gen. Saxbe who adds his own comments and dispatches the pack to Mr. Nixon. As for the latter, one of his White House intimates tells me "there isn't a chance in a hundred that 'the old man' will approve that---- 's petition."

What if Hoffa gets impatient? Atty. Gen. Saxbe has said, "If he is going to just disregard it (the President's restrictions) and run for office, my instructions are that they arrest him and put him back in the penitentiary."

Those close to Hoffa shrug their shoulders and wonder at the power drive in their friend. Hoffa has over a million dollars, heavy additional income, a posh Florida condominium, valuable real estate, and sundry business activities. They say all this means little to the little fellow. Only power motivates him, and control of the world's biggest union would give him the power he seeks.

There's little doubt all this is having significant effect on the Teamsters internally. And what affects the 2.2 million-member Brotherhood affects all labor-- including the disorganized hundreds of thousands of owner- drivers from whom this nation soon will hear again.

Thus, in effect, Fitzsimmons and his big negotiating committee are under the gun. There's always talk, geysering up strangely here, there, everywhere, that "Jimmy could do better." This talk will hang in the heavy cigarette and cigar smoke when Fitz meets the Trucking Employers, Inc., team in Chicago soon for new emergency- income restitution negotiations.

The Teamsters have the legal right to reopen. Thus they will be bargaining for 425,000 over- the- road drivers to win back the income lost by the cut in fuel and speed limits.

Everybody watches the Teamsters. What they get, other unions will demand. Already there is talk of reopening old wage contracts in many fields thought peacefully stowed away until 1976.

Wheels are sure churning the Teamsters-- and the nation too.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:

Odds Favor Nixon:

Jimmy the Greek

WASHINGTON-- Jimmy the Greek Snyder, the famous Las Vegas oddsmaker, is giving odds that President Nixon will not be impeached by the House of Representatives.

The Greek has never called a presidential election wrong since the Truman- Dewey upset in 1948. Because of his uncanny accuracy, we published Jimmy's political odds exclusively throughout the 1972 campaign.

Early in February, the Greek wrote a personal letter to each member of the House of Representatives. He enclosed a confidential poll card and a stamped, self-addressed envelope. By this week, he had received a phenomenal 70.4 per cent response.

Of those representatives who responded, 91 checked the box indicating they were "against" impeachment of the President. Sixty- four favored impeachment. Twenty- four "leaned toward" impeachment; 23 "leaned against." Seventy-five marked the "undecided" box.

In addition to the poll cards, Jimmy received personal letters from 28 representatives who explained they had not made up their minds on the impeachment question because they had not heard the evidence. The Greek dropped these into the "undecided" column, bringing that total to 103.

Using these figures and a dash of black magic, Jimmy has painstakingly calculated his odds, which were figured two days before the most recent Watergate indictments were handed down. Says the Greek: "I personally figured the odds are now 50 to 1 that Nixon will not be impeached by the House."

Jimmy then took his figures to his own computer expert, who put the odds at 100 to 1 against impeachment. The odds against both impeachment and conviction, says the Greek, are a prohibitive 1000 to 1 against.

FOOTNOTE: Jimmy hastens to emphasize that his odds reflect the political situation as it existed in early March. Any new indictments or Watergate exposes, he says, could drastically alter the figures.

WAITING COUNTERFEITERS: Federal investigators have picked up reports that counterfeiters are licking their lips over the prospect of reproducing phony gas ration coupons.

Three counterfeiters in the New York area alone, according to the confidential reports, are anticipating a big business in counterfeit coupons.

One of the three firms originally selected by the federal government to print 1.1 billion gas rationing coupons lost six bins of securities three years ago to Mafia stock thieves. Ever since this horrendous heist, millions worth of spurious stocks, bonds and other securities have been appearing all over the world.

The company whose securities were raided, Jeffries Banknote of Los Angeles, has now lost the contract to print gas coupons. It's not that the government fears its coupons will be carted off by the bin load, for the company's security is tighter now. But the Jeffries presses can't handle the special coupon work.

The Federal Energy Office had hoped that the Bureau of Engraving, which has had only one substantial loss in some 25 years, could print all 4.8 billion coupons, a three- month supply.

But the Bureau of Engraving could handle only 3.7 billion of the coupons in time. The three private printers, therefore, were approached.

Jeffries dropped out a few weeks ago. The second company, American Banknote, once temporarily lost $500,000 in Bank of Mexico notes to thieves and was robbed of $250,000 from its English plant. But for almost 10 years its permanent losses in the United States have totaled less than $10,000. U.S. Banknote, the third company, has had virtually no losses.

Several shipments of bank notes have been diverted or plundered, however, after they left the safety of the banknote firms themselves. These stolen securities subsequently have been sold or used as collateral by organized crime.

Federal agents, meanwhile, are working out techniques to try to forestall similar thefts of gas coupons.

FOOTNOTE: To keep tabs on the problem, Senate Investigations Chairman Henry Jackson, D- Wash., has assigned his Mafia specialist, Philip Manuel, to quietly check out the plants and their delivery systems. The Nixon Administration still hopes, meanwhile, that rationing won't be necessary.

SMUGGLED ANTIQUITIES: The Smithsonian Institution, which has scolded art dealers for plundering antiquities from foreign lands, is about to acquire a barn load of looted treasures itself.

The Smithsonian's aristocratic Secretary S. Dillon Ripley has been preaching to the museum world against "illicit, international traffic in...antiquities." Dealers, he declared, are "the pimps of the profession."

One dealer, for instance, was caught with a tribal African god to the outrage of the tribe from whom it was stolen. And the Metropolitan Museum in New York was exposed as the owner of a "hot" Greek urn smuggled from Italy to the United States.

While holding himself above such dirty dealings, however, Ripley has been salivating over the favulous collection of Joseph Hirshhorn, the touch old stock market operator. His treasures, which include hundreds of antiquities from abroad, will soon be turned over to the Smithsonian.

In the Hirshhorn Collection are stone sculptures torn from a Mayan temple, plus Turkish, Italian and Nigerian treasures. All these lands have strict laws against removal of their relics.

A Smithsonian spokesman assured us that the Hirshhorn trustees will comb through every antiquity and return any which were clearly ripped off from foreign lands. The search will begin when the collection is turned over to the Smithsonian.

Suit filed to overturn Charleston school policies

CHARLESTON — A suit has been filed in Circuit Court here which seeks to overturn Charleston R-1 School District board of education policies on pregnant students, required attendance of eight semesters for graduation, and collection of incidental fees

Interrogatories for the plaintiff, Mrs. Margaret Layton and her "next friend", Glenn Hillhouse, were filed March 6 by their attorneys. The original suit was filed Feb. 13.

In seeking to reverse the board's policies on pregnancies and graduation requirement, the suit asks for a court order applying only to Mrs. Layton.

However, the suit is filed as a class action — one whose decision would apply to all students at the high school — in regard to the collection of incidental fees from students.

The suit alleges Mrs. Layton became pregnant prior to the 1972-73 school year, and, under a board policy, was not permitted to attend school until after the birth of her baby. It states that she took correspondence courses from the University of Missouri and achieved two units of credit in that way.

She has returned to school this year (1973-74), and at the end of the school term will have the 17 units required for graduation under present board policy. However, under another policy, she will be unable to graduate with the class of 1974 because she has not actually attended CHS for the required eight semesters, the suit alleges.

The petitioners ask the court for a temporary restraining order and temporary injunction to prohibit R-1 officials from preventing Mrs. Layton's participation in graduation ceremonies, and seeks a final order declaring the two board policies invalid as applied to Mrs. Layton. She also seeks recovery of costs and legal expenses.

In the class action suit, filed as count four of her petition, Mrs. Layton asks that the $15 per year incidental fees collected from all students at the school this year be refunded, and that the board of education be permanently enjoined from assessing such fees.

Carl Shumate Jr., who was sentenced Sept. 14, 1971 to 10 years in prison for the rape of a New Madrid County girl and another five years for armed robbery of the girl's escort, had filed a motion to set aside the sentence and judgment on grounds that his attorneys had "used lies and tricks to get him to enter a plea of guilty."

Circuit Judge Marshall Craig ruled against Shumate and dismissed his motion to vacate the sentence.

In a case styled Louise Marshall et al. vs. William H. Thompson and Edna Mae Thompson and Myrtle G. Smith, filed March 6, the plaintiffs asked the court to award a drainage easement of some 3,960 feet in length across the Thompson land, to permit the Marshall property to drain into Ditch No. 14.

The suit alleges the Marshalls had offered $1,000 for the drainage rights, but had been unable to reach agreement with the Thompsons.

As an alternative, the Marshalls ask the court to declare that by virtue of a field ditch, which allegedly existed prior to 1937, they already have a drainage easement "by prescription" across the Thompson property, and ask the court to find that they have a right to clean out vegetation and sediment The alternative remedy also asks the court to order the Thompsons to remove obstructions from the ditch and refrain from interfering with the Marshall's alleged drainage easement.

Trial for Leslie Allen Achter, charged with the Dec. 10, 1972 burglary of the home of Ricky Carr, and the theft of a hair dryer, 30-30 lever action rifle and .22 calibre pistol from Carr, has been set for May 16. Achter is presently in the Missouri State Penitentiary in Jefferson City serving sentences for other crimes.

The case will be tried by Circuit Judge Flake L. McHaney of Kennett, who was appointed to hear the case after Judge Craig was disqualified on motion of the defendant.

Guard promotes Hawes

DEXTER –Capt. Clyde M. Hawes, recent commander of the 1221st Transportation Company, has been promoted to the staff of the 735th Main Bn, Jefferson City, Missouri. He has been replaced by 1st Lt. Charles E. Kruse.

Kruse is a life long resident of Dexter, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kruse. His wife is the former Pam Rodgers, and they have one son, Scott Wayne.

Kruse enlisted in the Missouri National Guard as a private in December 1966 and received his active duty training at Fort Ord, Calif.

After attending Officers Candidate School, he received his commission in June 1969. Since that time he has been a member of the Dexter National Guard unit, serving as paatoon leader. His civilian occupation is that of research agronomist for the University of Missouri Delta Research Center.

Kruse has expressed that every attempt will be made to keep all men informed, high standards traditionally associated with the company will be maintained, no unnecessary and trivial restrictions will be imposed upon the men, the "readiness" state of the local unit will be under constant inspection, with efforts exerted at all times to improve the condition and the unit will remain ready to serve the community in every way possible. Also, he said recruiting of new men will be vigorously pursued.

Looking Back

Season's heaviest snow falls

50 years ago
March 16, 1924

Just out-- new Victor records for dancing: "Limehouse Blues" by Paul Whiteman and his orchestra; and "If You'll Come Back" by The Virginians; "Do Doodle Ooom" and "West Indies Blues" by Piron's New Orleans orchestra; "I Wonder Who's Dancing With You Tonight" by Joe Raymond and his orchestra; and "Are You Lonely?" by The Benson orchestra of Chicago. These can be found at Derris, the Druggist.

Morehouse-- Charlie Sullivan went to Paducah, Ky., Sunday on business.

Matthews-- W. H. and G. F. Deane went to Morehouse Saturday on business.

The heaviest snow of the winter fell in Sikeston Sunday. Perhaps it is best to have all the winter now and give up spring in spring time.

40 years ago
March 16, 1934

My entire time will now be devoted to insurance. Stallcup & Scott Insurance Agency has been dissolved and its customers will be serviced by me. Office will soon be opened in Stallcup Building. Clarence Scott.

The General Store at Miner Switch which has been operated for a number of years by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smoot, has been sold by them to Roland Malcolm, farmer, who resides south of Miner.

The west end of Ethel Street has been extended to be connected with Kingshighway immediately north of the W. L. Huters residence and opposite the east end of Gladys street. The property is owned by W. L. Righter, who appeared before the city council several months ago and proposed that the street be continued through and that he would donate the property on condition that the city would build a sidewalk on one side.

Big Opening-- Miss Opal Hastings was the guest of Miss Florence Pearcy Sunday.

30 years ago
March 16, 1944

E. H. Percy, prominent farmer and gin operator of Canalou, died Sunday at Sikeston General Hospital of a heart ailment. He had been in ill health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nations of Morley are parents of a son born Thursday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

Billy Joe Shelby of the navy, who is at Farragut, Idaho, is in the hospital there suffering from rheumatic fever, he writes.

Doyne Sizemore celebrated his 10th birthday anniversary Saturday by inviting a group of friend to a matinee party at the picture show, followed by refreshments of ice cream and cake at his home.

20 years ago
March 16, 1954

Charleston-- Funeral services for Harry Arthur Franklin, 75, retired carpenter and cabinetmaker, will be Wednesday. A resident of Mississippi County 30 years, he died Sunday at his home on Route 3, Charleston.

Believing that the National Guard has a definite place and responsibility in the everyday life of the city in which it is stationed, Headquarters Co., 140th Infantry, working in cooperation with Lynn Twitty, superintendent of schools, has evolved a plan to establish a $400 scholarship fund to be given to some worthy senior boy at Sikeston High School upon his graduation in June.

Recently selected as maid to "Miss Union" at Union University, Jackson, Tenn., was Miss Carolyn Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall entertained with a dinner in honor of her husband, who celebrated his 90th birthday on March 13 at his home.

Funeral services for W. F. Defoe, 56, of Canalou, who died Sunday at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape, were conducted Monday.

What's the law?

The case of the deceptive package

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Oscar was a self- made man. The authorities, however, decided to unmake him when he began to manufacture and sell a 20- inch wide roll of paper in a 24- inch wide package containing only a 19- inch wide cellophane window. Since neither end of the roll of paper could be seen in the oversized package, the government charged Oscar with trying to hornswoggle the buying public.

"Shoppers have been hit by everything but falling prices," he was told, "without being cheated as well. And, obviously, with your oversized package, you were trying to make them believe that they were buying more paper than they were actually getting."

"Nonsense," retorted Oscar indignantly. "I tried to cheat no one. The label on each package clearly and accurately stated the dimensions of the paper inside. Certainly, if people don't read labels, it's not my fault. I'm not responsible for the habits of careless shoppers."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you find Oscar guilty of hornswoggling the public?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that even though Oscar's label accurately stated the quantity of paper contained in his package, his oversized package created the misleading impression that it contained more. That sort of misleading impression, noted the judge, is not permitted by law and is what the law is intended to prevent.

(Based upon a 1963 Federal Trade Commission decision)

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF SIKESTON, MO.
Resolution

A resolution declaring the necessity for the construction of one and one- half inch hotmix asphaltic pavement on six inch soil cement base with concrete curb and gutter on and along Adams Street between Jaycee and Kiwanis Street in the city of Sikeston, Missouri; stating the nature of the improvement; the estimated cost and providing that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills levied and assessed against the abutting property. Be it resolved by the council of the city of Sikeston, state of Missouri, as follows: section 1: that the council of the city of Sikeston, Missouri, deems and declares the construction of said street necessary to the welfare and improvement of the city of Sikeston. section 2: that the nature and scope of the improvement shall consist of furnishing all cost, including labor, materials and transportation necessary for the complete construction of the improvement. section 3: that the estimated cost of the improvement is $6.90 per lineal foot of abutting property, to be charged against the lots and tracts of land abutting the improvement. section 4: that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills evidencing special assessments against the abutting property in the manner specified by the statutes of the state of Missouri and the ordinances of the city of Sikeston, Missouri, because in the opinion of the city council the general revenue fund of the city of Sikeston is not in a condition to warrant an expenditure therefrom to pay for the improvement. section 5: that any work performed on construction of the improvement shall be in compliance with the provisions of the prevailing wage laws of the state of Missouri, such prevailing wage rates having been established by the industrial commission of Missouri. section 6: that the city clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this resolution to a daily newspaper of general circulation in the city of Sikeston, so that it shall be published for seven consecutive insertions. Read the first, second and third times and passed and approved this 4th day of March, 1974. Approved: John Frank Ferrell, Mayor; Attest: John W. Vaughn, City Clerk.
8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14

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If ... you seek the Lord your God, you will find him, if indeed you search with all your heart and soul. (Deuteronomy 4:29)

PRAYER: Dear God, we know You are always with us yet sometimes we let the wall of doubt come between us. We ask Your help that we may be more willing to put ourselves completely in Your hands, knowing that You have the answers to all our needs. Let nothing stand between us and You. Amen.

2 aldermen to be elected

ANNISTON-- Two alderman for the town board are to be elected in The April 2 general election, according to Mrs. Bob Thurman, city clerk.

One will be elected for each of the two wards for two year terms.

Filing as candidates from ward I prior to the 5 p.m. deadline Friday were Jap Easter and Harold Tatum. Filing for the position in ward II were Gary Whybark and George Hatton.

Terms of Shirley Jackson in ward I and Charley Jones in ward II are expiring.

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Ann Landers

Widow asks where 'friends' were when husband was alive

Dear Ann Landers: I can't get anything done today. My phone keeps ringing. For nearly a year I waited for it to ring. But it rang so seldom it was always a shock. The same with the doorbell. Almost nobody came.

My husband was buried yesterday, and now his "friends" are pestering me around the clock. I know it won't last long, but I have to get this off my chest.

Where was everybody when he needed visitors; He was such a fine man. Why did they come once or twice and not return? He wasn't one to ask favors. He would never impose on anybody. And he was good company, too. Where was everybody during those last months when he desperately needed to see people?

If I sound bitter, Ann, it's because I am. Please run my letter for those who know someone who is ill. Maybe it will help THEM. It's too late for my darling.- No Signature Please

Dear N. S.: Here's your letter. If the shoe fits, folks, wear it.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm a guy. A certain chick who sits across from me in study period is the average, girl- next- door type. I sort of liked her and have been wanting to ask her out. We became pretty good friends and I made up my mind I'd get the nerve up to invite her to a movie.

All of a sudden, a strange feeling came over me. Without even thinking, I asked another chick who sits across from me. I don't know why I did it. I hardly knew this other girl. We haven't said more than ten words to each other. She seemed surprised, but accepted the invitation. So now I have to go through with it.

Can you explain why I did this crazy thing? It makes no sense.-- Big Mystery

Dear Big: When People are uptight, they sometimes say or do exactly the opposite of what they had intended. It's a freaky, psychological twist, kind of a perverse joke on themselves.

You're still young, fella. There's plenty of time left to ask Miss Girl- Next- Door, and I hope you do, soon.

Dear Ann Landers: Your columns are a faithful reflection of what is happening in the world. They provide irrefutable evidence of how times have changed.

I was struck by the letter from the mother who didn't think children should be paid for doing chores or helping in the house. She said the kids should know that, as members of the family, they were expected to pitch in and no rewards need be given. I certainly agree.

When my children were small back in the '30s, money was very hard to come by. We had four children and I gave them each 30c with the following stipulation: 10c to spend on whatever you want; 10c for pencils or writing paper for school; 10c for charity.

I never made any connection between the 30c and "reward"-- but I noted with interest that no one shirked his duties. I always felt they wanted to "earn" the money I had given them.-- Mrs. L., Edmonton

Dear Mrs. L.: You sound like a wise woman. I especially liked the 10c for charity. I wonder how many parents today plant this thought in the minds of their children?

Don't get burned by a "line" that's too hot to handle. Play it cool with Ann Landers's guide to "Necking and Petting--What Are the Limits?" Send your request to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 3346, Chicago, Illinois 60654, enclosing 50c in coin and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Community Calendar

TUESDAY
Delta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Sally Neel, 1016 Davis Blvd.

TUESDAY
Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mary Margaret Abernathy at Brorein Acres, off Tanner Road. Program leader will be Lillian Whitson.

TUESDAY
Sikeston Extension Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ben Matthews, 609 Elm St.

SUNDAY
Concordia Lutheran Church will host its annual spaghetti supper from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the church, located at the corner of Park Avenue and Wakefield Street.

SUNDAY
The Together Group will meet at 6 p.m. in the home of Paula Cunningham at Bertrand.

THURSDAY
TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the Heritage House. Visitors are welcome.

THURSDAY
American Legion Auxiliary will meet at 6:30 p.m. at Heritage House for a potluck supper.

New Madrid Calendar

MONDAY
Rotary Club meets at 6:15 p.m. at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, Highway 61.

MONDAY
Kiwanis Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at Pauline's Cafe, 530 Mott St.

TUESDAY
Marston Civic Improvement Club meets at 7:30 p.m. in the United Methodist Church recreation room.

WEDNESDAY
Jaycees meet at 8 p.m. in the Jaycee Building, 710 Riley St.

WEDNESDAY
First United Methodist Church Lenten program and dinner, given by the Methodist Youth Fellowship, will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the educational building.

THURSDAY
Presbyterian Women of the Church meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Algie Phillips.

THURSDAY
Missouri Vanguard Theatre will present a performance of George Bernard Shaw's classic comedy, "Pygmalion", at 7:30 p.m. in the New Madrid High School gymnasium through sponsorship of the New Madrid Rotary Club. Tickets are available from Rotarians, Or Harold Sloas Rotary Club secretary, telephone number 748-2212.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

BELL CITY SCHOOLS
Monday
Hot dog on bun
Blackeyed peas
Sauer kraut
Apricot pie
Butter
Milk
Tuesday
Italian spaghetti
Buttered corn
Lettuce salad
Hot rolls
Butter
Milk
applesauce
Wednesday
Vegetable beef stew
Carrot and celery sticks
Peanut butter sandwich
Pear half
Milk
Crackers
Thursday
Turkey with gravy
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Fruit
Bread
Butter
Milk
Friday
Fish fillets
Baked beans
Cole slaw
Apple pie
Bread
Butter
Milk

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Monday
Half pint milk
Beef and noodles
Tossed salad
Green beans
Banana pudding
Bread and butter
Tuesday
Half pint milk
Fried fish on bun
Buttered potatoes
Pickled beets
Peaches
Cake with peanut butter icing
Wednesday
Half pint milk
Barbecued pork on bun
French fries
Mixed greens
Cinnamon apples
Thursday
Half pint milk
Burrito
Cheese slice
Tossed salad
Banana
Bread and butter
Friday
Half pint milk
Chili burger on bun
Cole slaw
Fruit cocktail
Cookie

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS LUNCH MENU
Monday
Weiner with mustard
Potato salad
Baked beans
Cherry cobbler
Bread and butter
One half pint milk
Tuesday
Hamburger on bun with mustard
French fries with catsup
Seasoned pinto beans
Strawberry gelatin
Peanut butter cookie
One half pint milk
Wednesday
Roast beef with brown gravy
Creamed potatoes
Buttered whole kernel corn
Grape jelly
Hot rolls and butter
One half pint milk
Thursday
Beef ravioli in tomato sauce
Ham salad sandwich
Buttered garden peas
Apple sauce cake with powdered sugar icing
One half pint milk
Friday
Deep fried chicken
Creamed potatoes
Seasoned green beans
Cranberry sauce
Sliced peaches
Bread and butter
One half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BREAKFAST MENU
Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One half pint milk
Tuesday
Hot oatmeal
Oven buttered toast
Grape jelly
Mixed juices
One half pint milk
Wednesday
Scrambled eggs with bacon bits
Hot biscuit with butter
Apple jelly
Juice
One half pint milk
Thursday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven fried sausage
Mixed juices
One half pint milk
Friday
Coffee cake with crumb topping
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One half pint milk

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS
Monday
One- half pint milk
Spoon burger
French fries with tomato catsup
Lima beans
Chocolate cake
Butter
Tuesday
One- half pint milk
Italian spaghetti
Cole slaw
Rolled wheat rolls
Chilled pear chunks
Butter
Wednesday
One- half pint milk
Tacos
Mexican beans
Shredded lettuce with tomatoes
Fruit cobbler
Butter
Thursday
One- half pint milk
Meat loaf
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Cole slaw with red pepper
Chilled peaches
Hot rolls
Butter
Friday
One- half pint milk
Turkey with noodles
Green peas
Tossed salad with oil and vinegar dressing
Chocolate cake
Butter

MATTHEWS SCHOOL
Monday
No School
Tuesday
No School
Wednesday
No School
Thursday
One-half pint milk
Beef pot pie
Buttered corn
Pickled beets
Pineapple slice
Peanut butter
Bread
Friday
One-half pint milk
Pimento cheese sandwich
Mixed vegetables
Potato sticks
Pear half
Butter

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS
Monday
One-half pint milk
Barbecued beef on bun
Corn on cob
Tossed salad w/tomatoes
Peach cobbler
Butter
Tuesday
One-half pint milk
Coney island
Cole slaw with red peppers
Peanut butter cookies
Butter
Wednesday
One-half pint milk
Cube beef steak
Whipped potatoes
Tossed salad
Green beans
Hot rolls
Applesauce
Butter
Thursday
One-half pint milk
Spaghetti with meat balls
Green peas
Whipped potatoes
Cole slaw
Hot rolls
Peach half
Butter
Friday
One half pint milk
Barbecued turkey on bun
Buttered corn
Cole slaw with red peppers
Red velvet cake
Butter

SCOTT COUNTY CENTRAL
Monday
Hamburger on bun
Pickles and onion
Sweet potatoes
Blackeyed peas
Ice cream
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Beef and gravy
Creamed potatoes
Green limas
Hot rolls
Butter / jelly
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Chili and crackers
Pickles
One-half peanut butter sandwich
Fruit
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Fried chicken
Potatoes
Green beans
Fruit
Bread
One-half pint milk
Friday
Fish on bun
Catsup or tartar sauce
French fries
Green peas
Jello
One-half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOL LUNCH
Monday
Barbequed turkey on bun
French fries with catsup
Harvard beets
Pineapple upside down cake
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Italian spaghetti
Buttered garden peas
Tossed salad with thousand island dressing
Grape Jelly
Hot rolls and butter
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Hot dog
Seasoned pintos
Seasoned mixed greens
Mashed potatoes
Spiced applesauce
Corn bread and butter
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Pizza with ground beef and grated cheese
Buttered whole kornel corn
Combination salad
Strawberry jello
Peanut butter sandwich
Friday
Chicken and dumplings
Buttered peas and carrots
Cranberry sauce
Sliced peaches
Spiced cake with powdered sugar icing
Bread and butter
One-half pint milk

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BREAKFAST Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Orange juice
One-half pint milk
Tuesday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven fried bacon
Mixed juices
One-half pint milk
Wednesday
Scrambled eggs with bacon bits
Hot biscuits with butter
Apple butter
Orange juice
One-half pint milk
Thursday
Coffee cake with crumb topping
Assorted dry cereal
Mixed juices
One-half pint milk
Friday
Hot oatmeal
Oven buttered toast
Grape jelly
Orange juice
One-half pint milk

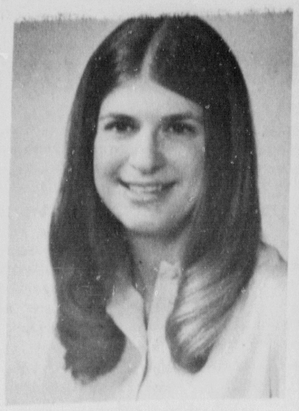

Karon Palmer

Palmer-Pensel

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. William C. Palmer, Route Three, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Karon to Timothy Raye Pensel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pensel of Cape Girardeau.

Miss Palmer, a 1971 graduate of Charleston High School, is a junior at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau. Pensel is a 1969 graduate of Cape Central High School and a 1973 graduate of SeMo State where he earned a bachelor of science degree in industrial and technical education. He is employed by the university as a production printer.

A June wedding is planned.


Shirley Quertermous

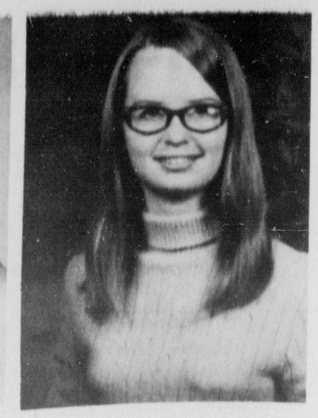
Quertermous-Davis

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quertermous announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Shirley Jo to Charles Alan "Chuck" Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Davis of East Prairie.

Miss Quertermous is a 1973 graduate of Charleston High School and is a sophomore at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau, where she is majoring in computer science. She is a member of Alpha Delta Pi social sorority.

Davis is a 1971 graduate of East Prairie High School and is a senior at SeMo State majoring in marketing. He is vice president of Alpha Kappa Psi professional business fraternity.

Vows will be solemnized Aug. 3.


Jackie Curtner

Curtner-Yardley

SHATTUC, Ill. — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curtner, former residents of Matthews, Mo., announce the engagement of their daughter Jackie Sue to Calvin Yardley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yardley of Shattuc.

A June 29 wedding is planned.

NOTICE
Wedding information must be submitted to The Daily Standard within three weeks after the ceremony. Weddings one month old or older will NOT be run.


Jana Sisk

Sisk-Dorsey

BERTRAND — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sisk announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Jana Marie to Robert Elson Dorsey, son of William A. Dorsey of Barlow, Ky. and the late Lorna Dorsey.

Miss Sisk is a 1969 graduate of Charleston High School and is employed at Osco Drug in Sikeston. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sisk of Charleston and Mrs. Edith Crosier of Bertrand.

Dorsey graduated from Ballard Memorial High School at Barlow and attended Murray State University at Murray, Ky. where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is employed by Westvaco at Wickliffe, Ky.

The wedding will be solemnized May 5 at 3 p.m. in First Baptist Church at Charleston.


Judith DeLine

DeLine-Hathhorn

CHARLESTON — Mr. and Mrs. J. L. DeLine announce the engagement of their daughter Judith Kaye to George Lawton Hathhorn, son of Mrs. Dorothy Hathhorn and the late Virgil Hathhorn.

Miss DeLine is a 1970 graduate of Charleston High School and is a senior at Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau majoring in speech pathology. She will graduate in May, then enter graduate school. Hathhorn, a 1969 Charleston High graduate, is also a senior at SeMo State, where he is majoring in elementary education. Following graudation in May, he plans to pursue a teaching career while working on his masters degree.

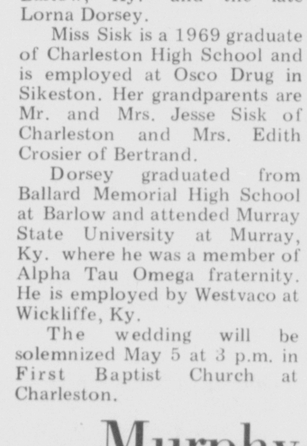
Wedding vows will be exchanged at 2 p.m. May 26 in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Tom Wilks performing at the double-ring ceremony.

Murphy-Pasierb

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Murphy, 203 Ruth St. announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Deborah to Joseph Pasierb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pasierb of North Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Murphy is a 1971 graduate of Matthews High School and is employed by Safeway in Sikeston. Pasierb, a 1971 graduate of University of Arkansas at Little Rock, is manager of a Safeway Store in Kennett.

A late summer wedding is planned.


Deborah Murphy

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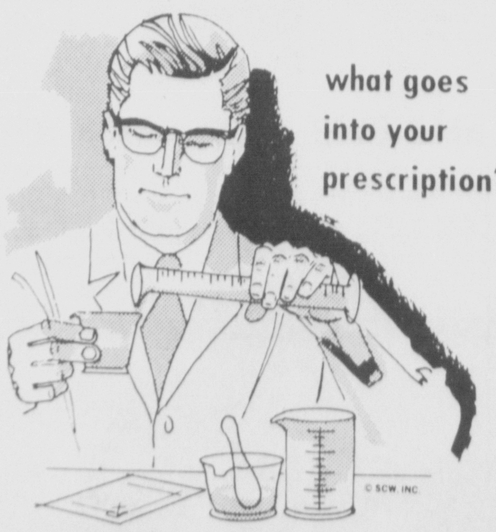
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Lilbourn adds another prize

By Ron Jaynes

The class AA state basketball champion - Lilbourn Panthers added another big prize to their season total Thursday night when they were named unanimously as Southeast Missouri's "Number One Team" by the Daily Standard's sports panel of coaches. Coach Larry Warren's 30 -2 Panthers ended a two year hold onto the coveted M.M. McMahon memorial trophy by the Advance Hornets and became the eighth receipiant of thepprize.

Lilbourn finished a distant fourth last season behind Advance, Cape Central and Kelly, but garnered all 15 first place votes for the unanimous tag.

This season Kelly and Cape Central placed second and third respecitavely with better than 100 point totals.

William Wilthong of Illmo -Scott was named as the Standard's Kenny Knox Memorial football coach of the year receipiant after leading his team to an undefeated season and a game winning streak.

Warren was selected as the Arnold Ryan memorial basketball coach of the year receipiant and thus became the first coach in the district to win two Daily Standard honors. The former Zalma coach received the paper's Rookie coach of the year honor in 1969.

The memorial trophies are in honor of three of the Bootheel's outstanding coaches. Knox was a tremendous football coach at Sikeston and Cape Girardeau's Southeast Missouri State University. Ryan was the heralded coach of the great Puxico Indians team of the 50's and later coached at Lilbourn and Charleston, where he was felled by a thrown baseball and died. McMahon coached basketball over 40 eyars and was in in his 27th season at Clarkton when he died two years ago. These men were credits to their job and to the fine athletic program in the Bootheel, which they helped build.

The final poll, with first place votes in parenthesis and total points at right.

Lilbourn (15)	150
Kelly	130
Cape Central	117
Advance	86
Neelyville	86
Potosi	55
North Pemiscot	43
Parma	18
Kennett	63
Notre Dame	16

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By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

The National Collegiate Athletic Association's basketball tournament is down to eight survivors and holding...but only briefly.

The action resumes Saturday with four regional championship games that will produce the tournament's semifinalists.

In the East, top-ranked North Carolina State, faces Pittsburgh at Raleigh, N.C. No. 2 UCLA, recovering from a triple overtime scare with Dayton, plays San Francisco for the West title at Tucson, Ariz. At Tuscaloosa, Ala., Michigan, upset winner over Notre Dame, takes on Marquette for the Mideast crown. And Kansas faces Oral Roberts for the Midwest championship at Tulsa, Okla.

Saturday's winners meet a week later in Greensboro, N.C., with East meeting West and Mideast against Midwest. The championship game will be played Monday night.

Meanwhile, New York's National Invitation Tournament gets under way at Madison Square Garden with afternoon and evening doubleheaders. Manhattan plays MarylandEastern Shore and North Carolina meets Purdue in the first pair. Saturday night, it will be Massachusetts against Jacksonville and Fairfield vs. Hawaii.

The NCAA draw sets up a possible dream clash of the nation's top two teams, but at the semifinal stage instead of for the title. That, of course, assumes that North Carolina State, boasting the tournament's best record at 27-1, can handle Pitt, and that gritty UCLA, trying for an unprecedented eighth consecutive national championship, finishes off San Francisco. Both teams are favored in the regional title games.

Third-ranked Notre Dame dropped out of the picture at the hands of Michigan, 77-68. Campy Russell scored 36 for the Wolverines in the Mideast region game. Marquette beat Vanderbilt 69-61 for the other berth.

N.C. State, down by one point with just over 14 minutes left, destroyed Providence the rest of the way, winning 92-78 for its 25th straight victory. David Thompson poured in 40 points. Pitt ousted Furman 81-78 with Bill Knight scoring 34.

UCLA's titanic struggle with Dayton needed three extra periods before it was decided, 111100 for the Bruins. Bill Walton scored 27 points five in the final overtime, and grabbed 19 rebounds for UCLA.

Bootheel all-league

'A" TEAM	GR.	Ht.	SCHOOL	Pt. Avg.
David Madden	11	5'7	S. Pem.	19.7
Billy Hale	12	6'3	Cooter	15.
Thomas Mead	10	6'1	Delta C-7	15.1
Carey Guyton	11	5'9	Delta C-7	15.7
Jack Ratliff	12	6'1	Delta C-7	10.9
Richard Pitts	12	6'3	C'ville	14 5
Sylvester James	10	6'4	Hayti	12.5
Harry Grant	12	6'3	Hayti	16.5
Jerry Stewart	10	5'10	N. Pem.	15.
Curley Reedus	12	5'11	N. Pem.	12.

HONORABLE MENTION

Allen Becker	11	S. Pem.
Gary Walton	11	C'ville
Frankie Gooden	12	Hayti
Richard Hursey	11	N. Pem.
Ray Norris	10	N. Pem.

"B" TEAM	Gr.	Ht.	SCHOOL	Pt.Avg.
Wayne Robinson	9	5'11	Hayti	17.4
Robert Blackmon	9	6'2	N. Pem.	16.5
Danny Robinson	10	5'9	N. Pem.	14.5
Joe Martin	10	6'	S. Pem.	11.8
Jerry Archer	10	6'	S. Pem.	10.3
Robert Jones	10	6'1	Cooter	12.4
Roger Phillips	10	6'2	Cooter	10.
George Riley	9	5'6	Delta C-7	17.3
Danny Crews	10	5'10	Delta C-7	12.
Jerome Wilson	10	6'2	C'ville	12.2

HONORABLE MENTION

Buddy Barron	10	S. Pem
Buddy Knox	10	C'ville
Terry Hollywood	10	Cooter

All-Conference Teams selected
by league coaches
"A" Tournament Champion-Delta C-7
"A" Conference Champion-Delta C-7
"B" Tournament Champion-N. Pemiscot
"B"B Conference Champion-Tri-Champs
North Pemiscoe
South Pemiscot
Delta C-7

FINAL CONFERENCE STANDINGS

"A" Team	Conf.	Overall	"B" Team	Conf.	Overall
Delta C-7	5-0	17-9	N. Pem.	3-2	18-3
N. Pem.	4-1	18-9	S. Pem.	3-2	10-6
C'ville	3-2	10-11	Delta C-7	3-2	17-6
Hayti	2-3	5-16	Hayti	2-3	8-8
S. Pem.	1-4	4-16	Cooter	2-3	13-9
Cooter	0-5	0-21	C'ville	2-3	6-10

College basketball

Saturday's College Basketball Tournaments At A Glance
By The Associated Press

NCAA
Quarter-finals
East
North Carolina State, 27-1, vs. Pittsburgh, 25-3, at Raleigh, N.C., 2 p.m., EDT
West
UCLA, 24-3, vs. San Francisco, 19-8, at Tucson, Ariz., 4 p.m. EDT
Midwest
Kansas, 22-5, vs. Oral Roberts, 23-4, 2 p.m. EDT
Mideast
Michigan, 22-4, vs. Marquette, 24-4, at Tuscaloosa, Ala., 4 p.m. EDT

NIT at New York
First Round
Manhattan, 18-8, vs. Maryland-Eastern Shore, 26-1, 2 p.m. EDT
North Carolina, 22-5, vs. Purdue, 17-9, 4 p.m. EDT
Massachusetts, 21-4, vs. Jacksonville, 18-8, 7 p.m. EDT
Fairfield, 17-8, vs. Hawaii, 188, 9 p.m. EDT

Sports

NICKLAUS WAS TOPS

NEW YORK (AP) — Three professional golfers won more than three tour events in 1973 with Jack Nicklaus the leader. Nicklaus turned in seven victories which included the PGA championship, worth $45,000 to the former Ohioan.

Tom Weiskopf and Bruce Crampton both won four events. Weiskopf's British Open title was not counted among his PGA tour wins. That win was worth $14,300. Weiskopf's top money prize — $40,000 — came in the Kemper Open. Crampton, from Australia, earned his top purse of $41,000 in the Houston Open.

Tourney set

A 10 team field will begin eliminations Monday night in the Vanduser Men's Independent basketball tournament.

The Daily Standard squares off against the Sikeston Old Timers at 7 p.m. in the tourney tipoff that will be followed by a Lilbourn -Matthews battle at 8:30.

Tournament play resumes Tuesday with Security -National Bank battling the opening game winner at 7 p.m. and First National colliding with Essex at 8:30.

Wednesday's schedule finds Morehouse matched against the second winner at 7 p.m. and the Sikeston Radio announcers against Vanduser at 8:30.

Semifinals will be Thursday with finals Friday.

Wrestling returns

Wrestling will return to the American Legion Hall Tuesday night at 8:30 p.m. with a Triple Main event card and a fourman tag match, two out of three falls -60 minute time limit, with Ronnie Ricketts and the Big Ox teaming up to meet Rocky Johnson and Dean Martin. The wrestling is sponsored by the American Legion.

The second match is a two out of three 60 minute time limit with the Black Panther meeting Ron Petty.

The Third match is the Mass Destroyer meeting Rick Petty plus one other match to be announced at ring side. Nine man TV all star card.

LEADS ARMY ELEVEN

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Army's 1974 football team will have its first black captain in history next season. He is Bob Johnson, a junior defensive end. Johnson is a graduate of Mitchell High School in Memphis. He also competes for the Cadets as a 190-pound wrestler.

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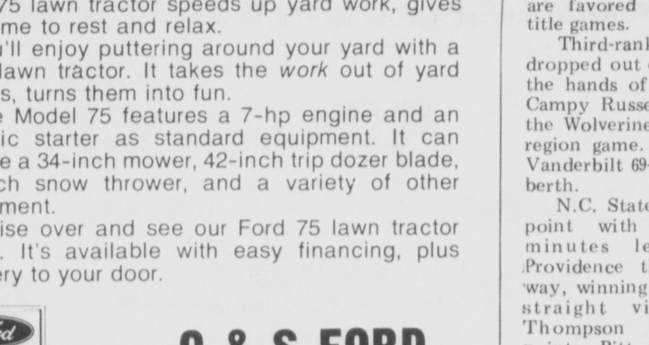


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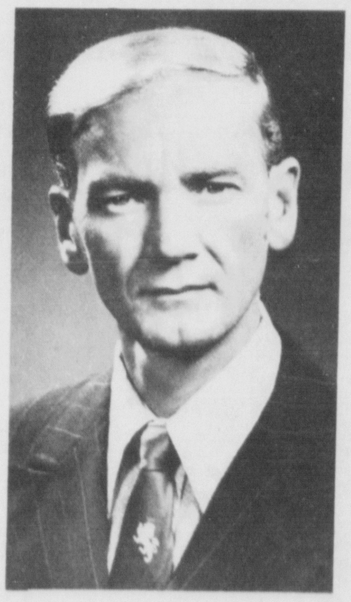


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By JOHN D. GARRETT
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Specialist

It may seem too early to start preparing soil for your garden, but it is not. Abundant rains in spring often make soil preparation difficult. Therefore, we must take advantage of short periods when the soil is workable. I have noticed a few gardens already plowed.

Anytime when the soil is not frozen, or when it is not too wet, it can be prepared. The structure of some soils can be ruined by digging or plowing when it is muddy, and it will be turned into hard, unmanageable clumps when it dries. This is particularly true of heavy clay soils. Be sure not to work your soil when it is too wet

Probably the best way to improve poor soil, whether heavy clay or sandy, is by the addition of liberal amounts of organic material. Two inches of organic material spread on the surface and dug or plowed into the soil will help separate the particles of tightly compacted clay, and the texture will become more granular. In a poor, sandy soil, organic material will increase its ability to retain water and nutrients.

Do not expect too much too soon. It often takes several years of cultivation before a poor soil will be in top condition. The addition of organic material will break down and decompose into stable organic matter.

Well rotted manure, compost or peat moss are the most common sources of organic matter. However, other materials may be available locally, Aged sawdust, ground corncobs, or processed sewage are a few of these.

A compost pile is generally the most economical means of obtaining organic materials for use in the garden. During the coming season, weeds, grass clippings, leaves, and many other items can be added together to form a compost heap.

It will take at least a year for the compost to be ready, so if you do not have one going, plan on purchasing some organic material this season. Simple directions for making a compost pile are available in the Horticultural Guide Sheet 6950, "Steps in Fertilizing Garden Soil," available from local University of Missouri Extension Center in Benton

A soil test is essential to aid in establishing a new garden. The same Guide Sheet gives directions on how to properly take a soil sample for testing. Samples should be taken to the extension center in Benton.

The test results will give an indication of how much fertilizer if any, is needed to bring the soil fertility up to a desirable level. It will also determine your soil's pH, a measure of its acidity or alkalinity. Most vegetables prefer a slightly acid soil with a pH range between 6 and 7. Since most of Scott County soils are more acid than this, the report will also give a recommendation for the amount of limestone necessary to raise the pH to a desirable level.

In established gardens where plants have been growing well, a soil test is not necessary every year. However, since a crop of vegetables reduces the basic fertility level, a maintenance fertilization program will be necessary when the soil is prepared. When the garden is spaded or plowed, a general garden fertilizer such as a 12-12-12 can be applied at a maintenance rate of about seven lbs. per 1,000 square feet of garden area. When the first number of the three numbers listed on the fertilizer is higher, slightly less may be needed. Extra nitrogen will be needed when vegetables begin to fruit, More fertilizer can always be added later, so take care not to apply too much when preparing the garden. The above Guide Sheet, 6950, will tell you how much extra nitrogen to add.

The early spring garden is often one of the most rewarding for the beginner. By taking advantage of a break in the weather now, we will be ready to start planting soon.

'High feed costs are holding back hog production'

WASHINGTON (AP) — High feed costs are holding back hog production and the outlook for the near future does not call for much improvement, say Agriculture Department economists.

One indicator is the price relationship with corn, measured by a hog-corn ratio. Officials said Wednesday the preliminary ratio for February was 13.7 computed on the basis of Omaha prices.

The figure represents the bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of live weight hog sold on the market. A higher number means farmers have a better chance for profits.

According to USDA records, the 13.7 reading for February was the lowest since 1971 when hog prices were depressed mainly because of large output. The ratio in January, 1971, for example, was 11.0.

A report on the livestock and meat situation this week by the Department's Economic Research Service said that normally hog producers are encouraged to expand production when the ratio averages over 20 for a sustained period. That was not the case, however, in 1972 when the annual average was 20.6 or in 1973 when it averaged an even 20 on the basis of Omaha prices.

Economists say there has been too much uncertainty the past couple of years for producers to make necessary commitments and investments for expanding hog programs. Also, at least among many Corn Belt farmers, feed grain prices had been so high that it has been more profitable to sell corn for cash.

The report also said there has been an attrition among hog farmers. As of Dec. 1, 1973, there were 752,020 hog farms in the country, down 5 per cent from a year earlier. Iowa continued as the leading state with about 86,000 units, down from 89,000 the year before.

"Strengthening live hog markets and lower feed prices may develop into a major expansion program late this year, but substantially larger slaughter supplies are not likely before 1975," the report said.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Milk production, which slipped 3.5 per cent in 1973, is expected to decline again this year by about 1 per cent, says the Agriculture Department.

But the department's Outlook and Situation Board said Wednesday output may rise again late in 1974 if record feed grain harvests materialize.

"Feed prices will probably stay high into summer, but milk prices will be well above 1973, improving the dairy income picture," the report said.

Reviewing the decline in milk production last year officials added:

"High feed prices reduced milk output per cow, the first drop in almost 30 years and together with strong slaughter cow prices caused the rate of decline in milk cow number to accelerate."

Prices paid milk producers have risen sharply, averaging $8.95 per 100 pounds on an allgrade basis in February, up 36 per cent from a year earlier.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Will the fad among college youth for streaking nude in public places invade the normally staid old Agriculture Department?

Officials doubt it, but there has been a rash of gag notices on USDA bulletin boards lately. One seen Wednesday said a "streaking on the Mall" had been rescheduled to begin at 1 p.m. instead of noon.

Asked by a reporter if Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz condoned streaking, one spokesman—who quickly asked not to be identified—said: "You might say there will be no bare Butz involved. And that's spelled BU-T-Z."

Bernie farmer wins top honors with corn yield

BERNIE — Clinton N. Grindstaff, of rural Bernie has received notification from the National Corn Growers Association of Boone, Iowa, that his 1973 yield entry of 169.32 bushels per acre, on a given 25-acre plot, has won top honors in state competition for Missouri. He and his wife will attend the national awards banquet in Des Moines, Iowa, to receive recognition along with winners of other states.

Grindstaff is preparing to enter the 1974 contest. His entry will contain the location of the 25-acre plot he has chosen, cropping information, fertillzers, herbicides and insecticides. When the yield is ready it must be gathered, transported and weighed in the presence of the sponsoring agent and cannot contain above 15.5 per cent moisture.

The entry is then signed, notarized and mailed to await final results.

He stated his goal this year was to be the top irrigated corn grower in the United States and he is gearing himself into that effort.

Farmers advised to present fuel needs

NEW MADRID — "Tell your distributor or supplier of your present and future fuel needs" Larry Blunt, executive director of the New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization and conservation Service, advises farmers. "Unless your local distributor or dealer knows in advance what farm customers require, he cannot take action to get fuel for them."

Informing the distributor is even more important for a farmer, if a farmer intends to increase his operation considerably or if he has changes in a need for a particular fuel because of an equipment change or other reasons, Blunt said.

All farmers, regardless of size of operation, are to get 100 per cent of their current fuel requirements for agricultural production.

Farmers should know, however, that top priority does not automatically guarantee that a local distributor will have enough fuel to meet their needs Blunt said.

Barnwarming held in Risco

RISCO — Risco chapter of Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of America held their 14th annual barnwarming dance Monday evening and crowned new barnwarming queen and king Shirley White and Tommy Robertson.

The group squaredanced throughout the evening and best dressed awards were presented to Jo Carol Elder and Dennis Patterson.

Approximately 105 members, guests and faculty of Risco High School were in attendance.

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Insect management program to be held

PORTAGEVILLE--- Varied aspects of insect management, which is extremely important to the success of a cotton crop, will be covered in the 1974 cotton insect pest management program offered for area cotton producers at the University of Missouri Delta Research Center.

The program is designed to help farmers whose profit dollars are devoured by improperly timed insecticide applications or who follow neighbors' actions and apply possibly unnecessary applications which destroy valuable beneficial insect population.

Producers, who avoid extensive use of insecticides because of the additional costs involved, may also receive help from the program.

Cotton insect management is also important to farmers who do not scout and monitor fields weekly to predict bollworm and boll weevil hatchouts and detect thrips, spider mites and plant bug infestations.

Producers, who wish to obtain the services of a cotton insect scout or would like to be added to the Delta Center's mailing list for the Weekly Cotton Insect Newsletter, should detach and return the attached form.

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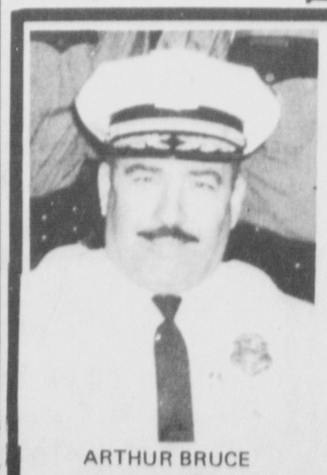
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4-H Club members

Sikeston 4-H Club members, who planted over 1,000 seedling trees for soil conservation purposes Saturday in Blodgett are: front row, from left, Amy Bass, Gail Leonard, Stephanie Huff, Missy Manning and Ramsay Manning. Second row, Mike Moore, Pat Hunter, Phillip Chegwidden, Heather McFarland, Andrea Hines, Tina Hines and Gretchen Myers. Third row, Danny Fulton, Mark Moore, Lee Dockins, Ben Hunter, Kim McFarland, Cheryl Whiffen, Sandy Spurlin, Michele Manning and John Huff, Fourth row, Donna MacLaughlin, Kert MacLaughlin, Chris Hunter Gary Leonard, Susan MacLaughlin, David Ahlvin, Liz Ahlvin, Stan Polivick, Jim Huff, Carl Leonard and Lew Polivick.



Planting trees for conservation

A Sikeston 4-H Club project in which more than 1,000 trees were planted for soil conservation purposes Saturday by, from left, Jerry Harlow of Benton, district conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service; Jim Huff; Liz Ahlvin Stan Polivick, chairman of the club's tree- planting project, and Mike Moore.

4-Hers practice conservation

A group of 42 Sikeston 4-H Club members and leaders planted over 1,000 autumn olive seedlings for soil conservation purposes on a farm near Blodgett Saturday.

The tree planting was sponsored by the 4-H Club's conservation project group, under the direction of Stan Polivick, 4-H junior leader. Polivick was assisted by David Ahlvin and Jim Huff, who are also involved in the junior leadership aspect of the 4-H program.

The mile- long windbreak project received th cooperation of the county Soi Conservation Service office District conservationist Jerry Harlow of Benton served as a consultant for the project.

Groups preparing farmers' fuel information booklet

BENTON — The Federal Energy Office and the U.S. Department of Agriculture are jointly preparing a pamphlet explaining procedures and action that should be taken to help assure that farmers get enough fuel to meet their needs, Kenneth E. Vowels, executive director of the Scott County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) said today.

The pamphlet is titled "Fuel Allocations for Farmers". It notes that the Federal Energy Office has designated agriculture to receive top priority in the distribution of fuel and lists steps farmers should take to get fuel supplies.

The pamphlet suggests farmers tell the local distributor of their present and future needs so that distributors or dealers can know in advance what the customer requires. If local distributors do not have enough to meet even agricultural production needs, they can ask FEO to correct the shortage through use of an FEO form number 17.

Vowels said farmers needing emergency help should apply direct to the State Energy Office (SEO) for a temporary, emergency allocation, using FEO form number 20, or any other form developed by the SEO.

The forms are available at the Regional FEO, the State Energy Office and the local ASCS office.

Training sessions are being conducted so that farmers can get help in the ASCS office in filling out the forms.

Vowels explained that farmers using less than 20,000 gallons of fuel a year, who do not have a supplier, may use FEO form number 20 to apply for permanent assignment to a supplier.

FEO regulations require farmers and others receiving allocations at the 100 per cent level to certify to their suppliers that they have an energy conservation program in effect. Farmers are to use priority fuel only for agricultural production, and to buy no more than enough to meet 100 per cent of current needs.

The Daily Standard,

Sikeston, Mo.

March 16, 1974

Combine pre-emergence with broadleafed killers

By JOE H. SCOTT
State Agronomy Specialist

Soybean growers will be applying more combinations of pre- emergency herbicides this season than in the past. More combinations are being registered and suggested by industry and university weed specialists as a method for controlling a wide array of weeds than in past years.

Hard to kill broadleafed weeds have invaded soybean fields and growers are looking for ways to keep these weeds from reducing their yields. Bushels lost to weeds add up to big money when soybeans are demanding prices like they are today.

To get best results from combinations of pre-emergence herbicides, good grass killers like Lasso, Treflan, Planavin and Amiben are being combined with stronger broadleaved killers like Sencor, Lorox, Maloran, Bromex, Solo and Dyanap.

This doesn't mean that our postemergence herbicides won't be needed. When properly used dinoseb, 2, 4-DB, bentazon and dinoseb plus naptalan can be just as effective as some of the above combinations in controlling broadleafed weeds.

These postemergency chemicals will be needed if deep seeded weeds like cocklebur, morninglory and velvet leaf escape the combinations.

Also, these postemergency chemicals can be used with good results in a program with single pre- emergency treatments. Combinations will be applied as tank mixtures or as sequential treatments (a preplant followed by a surface applied herbicide).

Tank mixes that have label clearance and can be found in our 1974 University of Missouri soybean weed control guide are: Lasso + Lorox, Amiben + Lorox, Lasso + Bromex or Maloran, Lasso + Sencor, Treflan + Sencor (state label), Solo + Lasso, Dyanap + Lasso and Lasso + pre- emerge.

Some of the above are under the experimental or trial section as are all the sequential treatments of Treflan + Amiben, Treflan + Sencor, Treflan + Lorox and Planavin + Amiben, Sencor or Lorox. Before using any of the combinations, study the label and MU guide.

The success of combinations, or for that matter, the use of any herbicide will depend on good management. The weed problem and soil type in each field must be known. Careful attention to rate is needed to avoid injury and to obtain effective weed control. Therefore, frequent sprayer calibration is a must.

If you have a field that is heavily infested with established Johnson grass, it would be best to use a control method like a preplant treatment of dalapon, and/or the 2 x Treflan or Planvin treatment, rather than using a lesser rate of Treflan or Planavin in a combination.

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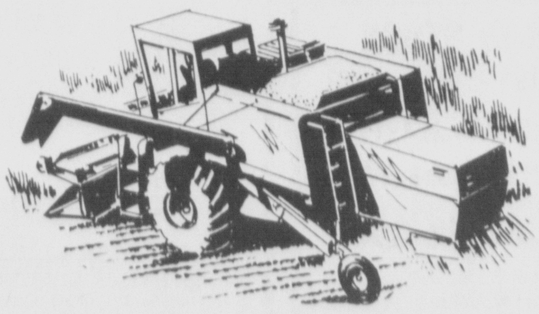
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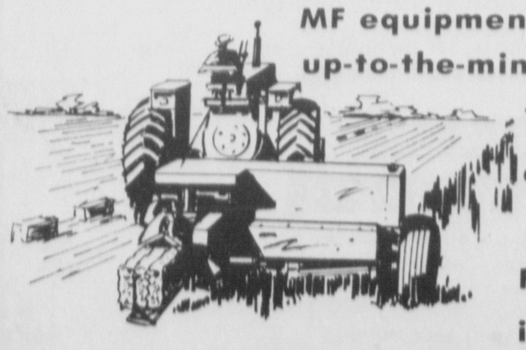
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Stu, Tom ask for research fund increase

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The two Democrats, in letters to the subcommittee chairmen, Sen. Gale McGee, D-Wyo., and Rep. Jamie Whitten, D-Miss., asked that fiscal year 1975 appropriations provide an additional $36 million for research by land-grant and forestry schools.

The Nixon Administration had asked for an increase of $8.5 million over 1973-74 funding levels.

The department's top officials are known to want considerably more emphasis placed on USDA research programs, especially as it completes the phasing-out of the crop pricesupport programs that cost more than $1 billion a year.

"Until recently," the senators wrote, "Americans have spent a relatively small portion of their income on groceries because of the steady increases in efficiency which farmers have achieved. That efficiency in large part is a result of the research performed by state universities and the Department of Agriculture."

The department and its Russian counterparts are scheduled to meet this spring on further implementation of an exchange agreement that includes a major provision on cooperative research.

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1972 Chevy ½ ton pickup, full power & air. Like new. 471-9087

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1970 Ford 2 door Sport roof, al power. 471-6450
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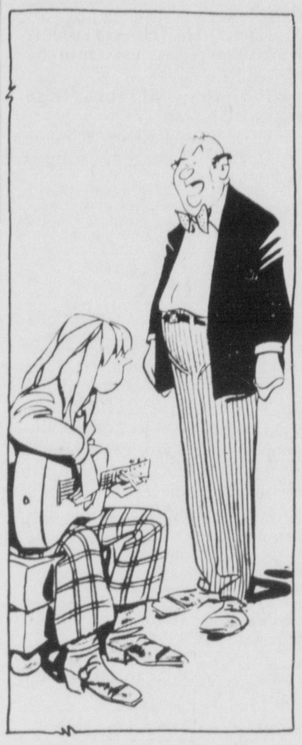
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"The song says that civilization as YOU know it is dying, eh?"



"Say! That's quite a song!"

SIDE GLANCES — by Gill Fox



"Don't bring up Watergate, Fred. The 'in' thing is to argue about who stayed in line the longest to buy gasoline!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Don't	31 Methods	61 Stakes
2 Early	32 Freer	62 Some
3 Speak	33 Your	63 Better
4 Someone's	34 The	64 On
5 You	35 Off	65 Should
6 Dress	36 If	66 Attract
7 Unexpected	37 Come	67 Basis
8 Good	38 Eyes	68 Yourself
9 Get	39 To	69 Aggressive
10 Use	40 On	70 Charm
11 You	41 Be	71 Efforts
12 Starts	42 With	72 At
13 Be	43 Can	73 Attention
14 May	44 And	74 Living
15 Up!	45 And	75 And
16 Got	46 Express	76 Conditions
17 Family	47 Be	77 Indicated
18 Soft-sell	48 Despite	78 Compliment
19 Rebuffs	49 Apple	79 Someone's
20 Up	50 The	80 For
21 Feel	51 Accent	81 More
22 News	52 More	82 Are
23 Pay	53 Make	83 Vital
24 Could	54 Work	84 The
25 You're	55 Surprised	85 You
26 Reckless	56 Smiles	86 Eye
27 Admiring	57 Equitable	87 Decisions
28 Matters	58 Alert	88 High
29 Have	59 Your	89 Results
30 You'll	60 Of	90 Clearly

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 1-13-26-36 50-61-82-88

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 11-21-32-43 46-68-81-90

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 10-18-31-42 51-64-70

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 9-17-28-40 52-57-67

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 33-54-65-66 73-75-78

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 6-15-25-34 49-60-79-86

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 7-19-24-37 48-59-71

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 3-20-30-41 55-72-84-89

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 2-12-23-35 47-58-69

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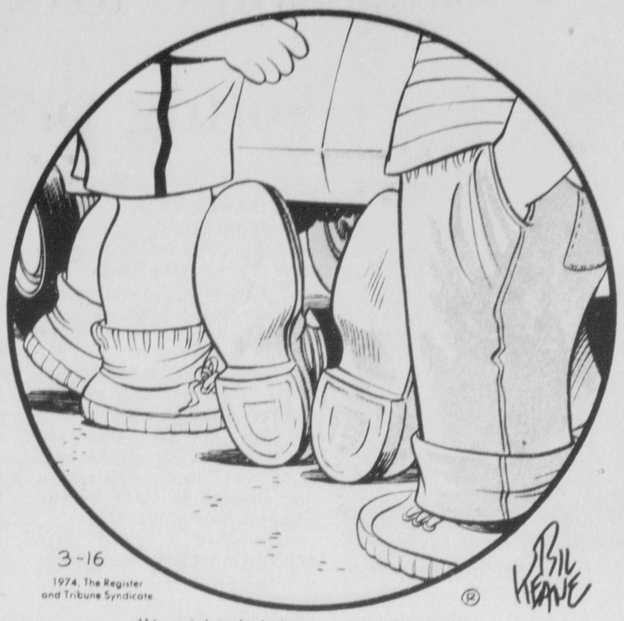
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Good Adverse Neutral

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"I said I didn't need any help!"



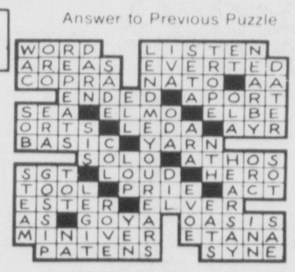
"MOST DOGS HATE A BATH."



CLOSE ATTENTION—Pfc John Irick melts some wire into place with a welding unit to complete fine detail on a metal cowboy sculpture he is building. Private Irick, a member of the 163d Military Intelligence Battalion, Fort Hood, Tex., is also an instructor at the post's recreational services metalcraft shop in his off duty time. Irick hails from Albuquerque, N.M. (U.S. Army Photo by C. L. Perales)

Bulgaria

Answer to Previous Puzzle



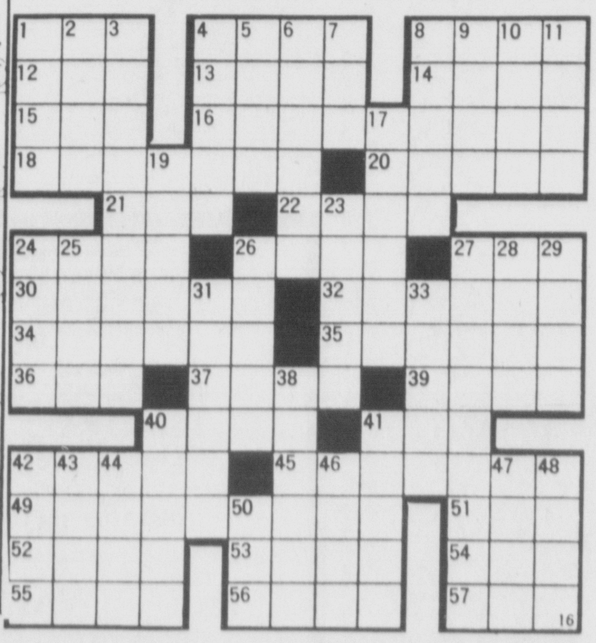
ACROSS

1 Bulgarian coin
4 Bulgarian farm product
8 Yugoslavia bounds it on the —
12 High card
13 Operatic solo
14 Martian (comb. form)
15 Mr.'s mate
16 Female ruminant (coll.; 2 wds.)
18 Catches, as on shirts
20 Trials
21 Anger
22 Newts
24 Napoleon's refuge
26 Employer
27 Obese
30 Extolled
32 Venetian island
34 Woodland deities (myth.)
35 Sofia is capital of this —
36 High card
37 Hostelries
39 Little demons
40 Molding
41 Certain railways (coll.)
42 Atmospheric disturbance
45 Exaltation
49 Army leader
51 Son of Gad (Bib.)
52 English composer
53 Ardor
54 Oriental coin
55 Black (Fr.)
56 Corded fabrics
57 Pedal digit

DOWN

1 Bulgarian farm animal
2 Unbleached
3 Narthex
4 Indian boat
5 Algerian seaport
6 Washes lightly
7 Feminine nickname
8 Pay
9 Greek god of love
10 Place to sit
11 Toddlers
17 Yttrium oxide
19 Most of its — is with the Soviet bloc
23 Flowerless plants
24 Feminine appellation
25 Secular
26 Italian community
27 Sleaziest
28 On top of
29 Heavy weights
31 Riddle
33 With one end raised
38 Sewing tool
40 Abalone
41 Merits
42 Scrutinize
43 Bull (Sp.)
44 All (comb. form)
46 Jump
47 Mountain (comb. form)
48 Number
50 Saul's uncle (Bib.)

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Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Saturday, March 16, the 75th day of 1974. There are 290 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1534, England under Henry VIII severed all relations with the papacy.

On this date:

In 1676, Indians destroyed the Rhode Island settlements of Warwick and Providence.

In 1751, the fourth American president, James Madison, was born in Port Conway, Va.

In 1802, Congress authorized the establishment of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

In 1945, Japanese resistance on the island of Iwo Jima came to an end after one of the bloodiest battles of the Pacific war.

In 1950, Congress voted to remove federal taxes on oleomargarine despite protests by dairy farmers.

Ten years ago, President Lyndon B. Johnson submitted to Congress a billion-dollar program he called a "war on poverty."

Five years ago, 155 lives were lost when a Venezuelan jetliner crashed into a suburb of Maracaibo, Venezuela, on takeoff.

One year ago, the United States and 13 major trading nations agreed on steps to try to end a monetary crisis due in part to excess dollars abroad.

Today's birthdays: Mrs. Richard Nixon is 62. Senate majority leader Mike Mansfield of Montana is 71. Comedian Jerry Lewis is 48.

Thought for today: Victory belongs to the most persevering. — Napoleon Bonaparte, 1769-1821.

Most coaches, players and rooters are convinced that basketball is America's most popular sport, the National Geographic Society says.

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THE PHAMTOM by Falk & Barry



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THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod



BEATLE BAILEY by Mort Walker



Deaths

DAISY MYRTLE GILMER

MATTHEWS— Daisy Myrtle Gilmer, 93, died at 5:10 p.m. Friday in the Sells Rest Home in Matthews.

She was born March 4, 1882 in Mississippi She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Her body is at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid where arrangements are incomplete.

LEO CLIFFORD ROSE

SCOTT CITY-- Leo Clifford Rose, 73, died at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Cape La Croix Manor in Cape Girardeau.

Born June 7, 1900 at McLeansboro, Ill., he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rose. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

On Dec. 29, 1944 he married Miss Ida Rough, who survives.

Also surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Loucetria Gearing of Flint, Mich. three brothers, Roscoe and Floyd Rose of Flint and Gilbert Rose of St. Louis and eight grandchildren.

One son preceded him in death.

Friends may call after 12 noon today.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel in Illmo with the Rev. Don Kuehle, pastor of Broadway United Methodist Church of Scott City, officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter City Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Mike Rose, Glenn Beardslee, Glenn Jarrell, Jesse Coats, Mike Coats Harry Graves Joe Skinner and Skeet Hill.

FLORA MARIE MOORE

ILLMO-- Mrs. Flora Marie Moore, 50, died Friday in the St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Born Feb. 5, 1924 at Dallas, Tex., she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Scott City and worked with the Head Start program, Cape Girardeau Historical Society Thrift Shop, the Well Baby Clinic and Cape Girardeau Civic Center. She was past president of the Parish Council of Catholic Women, serving two years and was secretary of St. Joseph mother's club, serving four years.

On July 5, 1941 she married Curtis Moore, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, John Moore of San Francisco, Calif. and Danny Moore of Kelso; two daughters, Mrs. Bill Daniels of Illmo and Ann Moore of the home one brother, Cecil A. Miller II of Miami, Fla. and seven grandchildren.

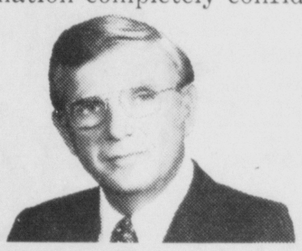
The body is at Amick-Burnett Funeral Home in Illmo where arrangements are incomplete.

ARTHUR G. TRIGG

Pallbearers at services scheduled at 2 p.m. today in First Church of The Nazarene for Arthur G. Trigg, 83, of 404 Fletcher St., who died Thursday, will be Homer Trigg Jr., Jack Norman, Tommy Trigg, Sonny Camp, Doug Marsh, Johnny Noel and Mike Trigg.

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OTHER AREA OFFICES

EAST PRAIRIE MOREHOUSE NEW MADRID

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against Pat Presnell.

Sheriff's service was returned unable to locate in this county in a civil action filed by Charter Finance Co. against Donald R. and Lillian R. Menken.



What's friendlier than a friendly Cocker Spaniel? Not much. This male spaniel is available for adoption at the city dog pound, along with several other dogs. Anyone interested in adopting a dog, contact Humane Officer Bob Beardsley at the police station or at his home after 5 p.m. or on weekends.

(Daily Standard photo by Ron Porter)

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final proposed revisions are to be presented for board approval at the April meeting.

A report on the possibility of the school district and the city making a joint effort to add recreational facilities on school property was given by Bill Brown, board member.

The 1927 graduation class was given permission to hold a class reunion in the high school commons on Aug. 27.

A Parent- Teachers Association carnival has been scheduled for March 29 in the Bertrand Elementary school.

Some Mississippi County voting precincts changed

CHARLESTON –Some Mississippi County voters will find that their voting precints have been shuffled, and polling places changed when they go to the polls on April 2, according to County Clerk Arthur Lee Goodin.

The election is the annual city and school general election, which will be held for the first time this year under provisions of the new statewide voter registration law enacted in 1973 by the General Assembly.

Goodin said his registration clerks have been working hard to get everyone's registration card moved as necessary to the proper binder, so that the cards will be at the proper polling place next month.

"It would have been a whole lot simpler just to have everyone re -register," Goodin commented this week, "but we had to do it piecemeal, and there is a chance some cards will not be in the proper book."

In Charleston, voters who live in the city limits will vote in their usual precincts, (although some polling places have been changed) except that those who live in the Winchester Addition (east of 13th Street) have been moved from precinct 1A to ward 1B. Voters affected by the change have received new registration cards by mail, Goodin said.

Residents of the rural area of Tywappity Township formerly voted in the regular Charleston precincts, Goodin said, but have now been moved into a new "Charleston 5" precinct. They will vote at the Scout Cabin, he added.

At East Prairie, voters who live in the city limits will vote in two new precincts, Goodin said. East Prairie one is all the area north and west of the railroad tracks. East Prairie two is the area south and east of the tracks. Precinct one will use the fire station and precinct two the high school lobby as voting places.

East Prairie precinct three now includes all the area of St. James Township outside of East Prairie's city limits, except for voters who have been voting in the Anniston precinct, Goodin said.

Anniston, Wyatt and Bertrand precincts have not been changed, Goodin added

The complete list of precincts and their polling places is as follows:

Charleston 1- A, scout cabin; Charleston 1 -B, St. Henry gymnasium. Charleston 2, courthouse; Charleston 3, Armory; Charleston 4, Knights of Columbus Hall; and Charleston 5 (rural), scout cabin.

Bertrand, Bertrand School.

East Prairie 1, fire station; East Prairie 2, high school lobby; and East Prairie 3 (rural), Teen Town building.

Anniston, old Agriculture Building.

Wyatt, Raffety gin office.

Wilson City, community center.

Deventer, Mount Hope Baptist Church.

Wolf Island, Story Gin.

Dorena, Dorena school building.

Charleston man ordered to stay out of Sikeston

Henry Lawrance of Charleston was fined $55 in City Court Thursday night and ordered to stay out of Sikeston for six months or be subject to five days in jail on charges of public intoxication and peace disturbance.

James Long, 210 S. Sixth St., was fined $20 for public intoxication and ordered to stay out of all bars for 60 days or face five days in jail.

Other fines levied Thursday included:

Jerry David McDowell of Charleston, careless and imprudent driving, $110; Orville Floyd Russell of Dexter, careless and imprudent driving, $15; Joseph Ray Byrum of Charleston, speeding, $19; William Dale Lewis, 521 Coleman St., speeding, $24; Pamela Hope Nimmo, 441 N. Ingram St., speeding, $19.

Jeanette Ann Clements, 111 Reuben St., speeding, $19; Johnnie Davis of New Madrid, public intoxication, $20; Dessa R. Fowler, 538 E. Kathleen Ave., speeding, $15; Steven Franklin Melton, Dunn Hotel, speeding, $32; John Frederick Baugher, 318 Edmondson Drive, speeding, $40; Ronald Dee Miller of Hammond, Ind., public intoxication; and Gary Donald Martin of Essex, peace disturbance, $35.

Cases dismissed included Zelburn Jackman of East Prairie, public intoxication, and Thomas A. Burdick, public intoxication.

Cases continued to March 21 included:

Gene Allen Dorris and Archie Michael Dorris, both 118 William St., peace disturbance; Howard Denton Cline, 209 Harry St., assault and battery; and Robert Farris Jr., assault and battery.

Edith Mary Adams, 231 N. Handy St., assault and battery; Willie Ray Staggs, 204 Bynum St., displaying a deadly weapon, Charles Lewis Abercombie, 1328 McDougal Ave., driving while intoxicated and Melvin C. Young, 1707 Kentucky Ave., driving while intoxicated.

A peace disturbance charge against Doyle Eugene Johnson, 816 Gulf St., was continued to March 28, and a careless and imprudent driving charge against Kenneth Wally Bridger, Box 929, was continued to April 11.

Police cadets to meet Monday

The Sikeston Police Cadets will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the Courtroom of the Sikeston police station.

Guest speaker will be Steve Taylor, assistant prosecuting attorney.

Anyone interested in joining the cadets may attend.

Still no sewer

Hayti Heights to get water

HAYTI HEIGHTS --Hayti Heights has done without basic services since incorporating one and a half years ago, but is now on the verge of getting at least one of its needs -water.

Mayor David Humes said Thursday he is optimistic that the town will have a $375,000 water system in operation by February.

The project will be funded by an Economic Development Administration grant.

A portion of the town's 1,200 residents have private water hookups with nearby Hayti, but most rely on private pumps. Some homes have no running water.

Even when the city is equipped with its own water pipeline network, however, it will still be dependent on Hayti to supply the water it needs.

The Heights also has no sewer system, "but that's something we're working on now," Humes said.

The Heights' new water system will be "plugged into the Hayti system at three locations.

The Heights' will pay Hayti 60 cents per 1,000 gallons of water received. Heights officials have not yet determined the customer rate.

"We will try to keep the water rate as low as possible ... it's just something we'll have to work out," Humes said.

Hayti will profit about a nickel for every thousand gallons of water it diverts to the Heights, Hayti Mayor Lee Roy Bain said.

Water treatment "is becoming more expensive all the time," Bain said.

"We're paying 60 per cent more for chlorine now, and lime has gone from $44 to $58 per ton in just a few months.

"We don't feel as though we're taking advantage . What we've talked about is fair."

The pipeline network also will mean an added measure of fire protection for the Heights ,which presently has no fire department.

Residents must pay a flat rate of $100 whenever a Hayti fire truck is called.

"The rate won't change probably," Bain said, "but at least with fire hydrants the people over there can depend on any fire truck we send not running out of water,"

The Heights also has taken the first step in acquiring sewer facilities, having applied to the state Clean Water Commission for "feasibility planning funds," Humes said.

A sewer system for the town would cost about $1 million, he estimates.

Acquiring a water treatment plant is a remote dream at this time, Humes said. " We'll have to be patient and take things a step at a time."

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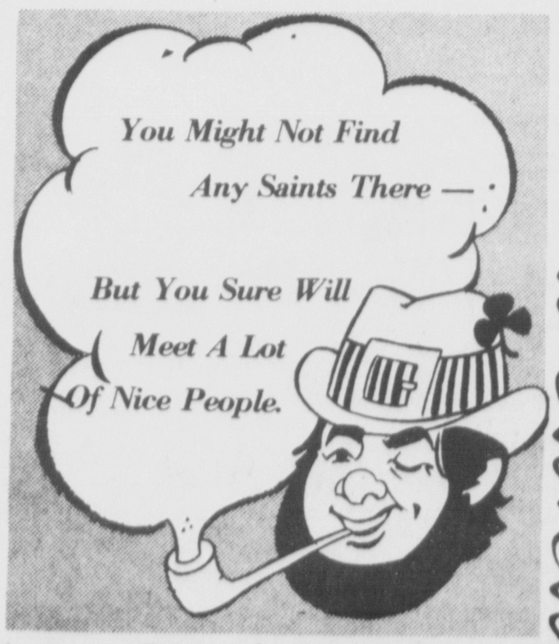
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